Dement Building Association!

CAPITAL STOCK.....................$80,000

Value of Property.........................95,000

DEMENT HOUSE,
FULTON CITY ILL.

A Card from Charles Dement.

Exception having been taken to the legality of the Dement House Gift Enterprise, by which I proposed to sell and dispose of the House, together with other valuable property at greatly reduced prices, I would say to the public that before opening an office here, I advised with prominent gentlemen in this city, who assured me that no one would attempt to molest me. I seems that they were mistaken. I profess to be a law abiding man, and therefore at once stopped the disposal of tickets as soon as I found the authorities were opposed to it; and now having consulted eminent legal counsel, I have sold the property to a Joint Stock Association, and now offer for sale to the public the stock of said Association.

The name and style of the Association is the "Dement Building Association."

It is hoped the speculation now offered will be equally if not more attractive to the public. I would say that such associations or corporations are regularly provided for by the statutes of the State, and I regard it as a fortunate move for me that I have made this change, as I can go into any State in the Union and sell my stock certificates without suspicion of violating the law, and without molestation.

And for the satisfaction of persons purchasing the stock of this association it is thought proper to state that whenever any of said stock is offered in the market for sale, it will be safe to purchase it, as no stock will be delivered from the office of the association until it is FULLY PAID, and the company have value received. And where there are any incumbrances upon any of the property purchased by the Company, will withhold double the amount of the incumbrance from the purchase money until said incumbrance is removed.

All persons holding the tickets of the Dement House Gift Enterprise will please return them, and if they want their money they can have it, or they can have a certificate in this Association, which we think is equally as advantageous to them.

Call and see us at No. 45 Lasalle street.

CHARLES DEMENT.

The Dement Building Association

Own the very valuable Real and Personal Estate described below—for which payment in full has been made by the Association. Title warranted perfect.

THE DEMENT HOUSE,

[illegible] COO—build it alone, aside from the Grounds [illegible]. It is well known to the traveling public as one of the most magnificent hotels in the State. It [illegible] stone 112 by 90 feet square, five stories [illegible] contains about 150 elegantly finished rooms, some of them very large ones. It has Gas throughout the entire building, from basement to cupola.

There [illegible] some very desirable

DWELLING HOUSES AND LOTS,

and several very valuable

TRACTS OF LAND AND CITY LOTS!

All of which are valued at very low figures in the subjoined allotment—as all who are acquainted with the property in their respective neighborhoods will testify.

There are also some very desirable

ARTICLES OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

which is also well known as the most elegant selection that has ever been brought to the West—all of which valued in the following allotment at New York wholesale prices.

The Board of Directors of the Association propose to make an Annual Division and Distribution of Real Estate and Personal Property of the Association not needed for the purposes of the association by an allotment of a portion of the same to each share of the Capital Stock. The Capital is divided into

EIGHTY THOUSAND SHARES OF $1.00.

The Directors have divided the surplus property now owned by the company into 80,000 lots or portions—as numbered, described and valued below, viz:

No. of Lots Portions	Description of Property	Value
1	Grand Capital Portion, Dement House, and lots 2, 3, 6, 7 and 10, on which it stands	$50,000
2	A beautiful double cottage, and lots 9 15 and 16 in Mendota, block 21	8,500
3	Lot 10 in block 2 in Cairo, on Ohio Levee the best in the city	2,300
4	Lot 11 in clock 2 in Cairo, Ohio Levee	2,300
5	A stone dwelling and lots 3 and 8 in block 46, pleasantly situated in Fulton City	600
6	The ne¼ of sw¼ sec 5, t 21, n r 6 e, 40 acres timber one mile from Morrison	1,000
7	Lot 5 in block 16, r 4 and a two story frame dwelling in Fulton City	1,250
8	Lot 7 in block 14 in w fraction, Fulton, near R. R. Depot	800
9	Lot 8 in block 14, in w fraction, Fulton, near the R. R. Depot	800
10	Lot 9 in block 14, in w fraction, Fulton, near the R. R. depot	800
11	The w½ of nw¼ sec 8, t 21, n r 4 e, 80 acres in Carroll county, Ill	500
12	The sw¼ of nw¼ sec 26, t 21, n r 4 e, 40 acres good prairie	400
13	Lot 1, block 12, r 5, in Fulton	500
14	Lot 1, block 12, r 5	500
15	The se¼ of nw¼ sec 12, t 25 n r 4 e, 40 acres near Mt. Carroll	400
16	Lot 4, block 14, r 5, in Fulton	400
17	The nw¼ of nw¼ sec 11, t 18 n r 6, w 3d p m. 40 acres in Marshall county	400
18	Lot 6, block 14, r 5, Fulton	300
19	The sw¼ of se¼ sec 6, t 22 n, r 9 e, 20 acres in Lee county, Ill	300
20	Lot 12, block 14, r 5, in Fulton	300
21	Lot 13, block 14, r 5	300
22	Lot 24, block 45, in Cairo	200
23	Lot 25, block 45	200
24	Lot 26, block 45	200
25	Lot 27, block 45	200
26	Lot 5, block 12, r 5, in Fulton	160
27	Lot 6, block 12, r 5	150
28	One large gilt Mantel Mirror at N. Y. wholesale price	150
29	One elegant bronze Office Clock, at N. Y. wholesale price	125
30	One elegant marble case parlor Clock, at N. Y. wholesale price	100
31	One gilt pier Mirror, with gilt brackets and marble slab	100
32	Lot 7, block 2, r 1, in Fulton	100
33	Lot 8, block 2, r 1	100
34	Lot 9, block 2, r 1	100
35	Lot 15, block 2, r 1	100
36	Lot 16, block 2, r 1	100
37	Lot 5, block 2, r 1	100
38	Lot 6, block 2, r 1	100
39	One gilt Pier Mirror marble slab and gilt brackets	100
40	One gilt Pier Mirror, marble slab and gilt brackets	100
41	One gilt Pier Mirror marble slab and gilt brackets	100
42	One gilt Pier Mirror marble slab and gilt brackets	100
43	Lot 7, block 3, r 4, in Fulton	100
44	Lot 8, block 3, r 4	100
45	Lot 9, block 3, r 4	100
46	Lot 2, block 5, r 4	100
47	Lot 14, block 5, r 5	100
48	One pair bronze statuettes of Mercury	60
49	One gilt Mirror	50
50	One triple plated silver entree dish, large size	45
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[illegible]	" small size	40
[illegible]	" "	40
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[illegible]	" "	40
[illegible]	" "	40
61 to 70	Ten portions of ten elegant mahogany bedsteads, $25 each	250
71 to 73	Three portions in three marble top center tables, $25 each	75
74 to 81	Eighteen portions in eighteen curled hair Mattresses, $20 each	360
92 to 101	Ten portions in ten W. Jenny Lind Bedsteads, $10 each	100
102 to 111	Twelve portions in twelve sets oak dining chairs, $12 each	144
114	One bronze statuette of the Indian Chief Tecumseh	10
115	One bronze statuette of Dred Scott liberating himself	10
116	One bronze statue of Lamartine	10
117 to 130	Thirteen portions in thirteen pairs Satin Damask Curtains, $20 each	260
131 to 144	Fifteen portions in fifteen pair Damask Curtains, $10 each	150
145 to 160	Twenty portions in twenty pair Lace Curtains, $7 each	140
161 to 176	Sixteen portions in sixteen setts triple plated Table Spoons, $5 each	80
177 to 186	Six portions in six imitation R. W. Bedsteads, $6 each	36
187 to 190	Four portions in four silver plated Cake Baskets, $15 each	60
191 to 193	Three portions in three silver plated Cake Baskets, $10 each	30
194 to 203	Ten portions in ten silver Plated Casters, very fine, $16 each	160
204 to 213	Ten portions in ten Parlor stoves, $10 each	100
214	One large marble top Centre Table, in office	35
215 to 220	Six portions in six pair Cord and Tassels, very elegant	36
221 to 226	Six portions in six pair Cords and Tassels, fine, $4 each	24
227 to 242	Sixteen portions in sixteen setts triple plated Tea Spoons $3 each	48
243 to 254	Twelve portions in twelve fine Door Mats, $3 each	36
255 to 260	Six portions in six pair Cord and Tassels, $2 each	12
261 to 266	Six portions in six pair Cord and Tassels, $1.50 each	9
267 to 286	Twenty portions in twenty silver plated Butter Knives, $1.50 each	30
287 to 306	Twenty portions in twenty silver plated Sugar Ladles, $1.50 each	30
307 to 318	Twelve portions in twelve Door Mats, $1 each	12
319 to 326	Eight portions in eight pair Cords and Tassels, $1 each	8
327 to 350	Twenty-four portions in twenty-four business cards, $6 each	[illegible]
351 to 80,000	Seventy nine thousand six hundred and fifty portions of Lithographs, each 18x22 in. of Dement House, 25 cents each	19,962½
	Total value of Property for distribution	$94,912½

On or before the 18th day of May, 1859, the Directors will make a distribution of the above property—by allotment—in lots or portions as above divided and numbered. The distribution by allotment will be made by drawing for the same too, far, and on behalf of each share as numbered from one to eighty thousand, unless a majority of the stockholders shall desire some other mode of division, or some other use to put said property to; in which event the Directors feel bound to conform to their interests and wishes, whenever they shall be satisfied of the fact that it is the *interest* and *wish* of a majority of the stockholders to make a change. Otherwise, they will be governed by the foregoing plan of division.

Opinions of the Press on the Dement Building Association.

We have not said much about this institution, although it has not been because we did not think it an entirely fair one, and just what it claims and we would say that if any one has the disposition to take the chances, we have no doubt they will have a fair show for their money. Somebody will get some valuable prize for the small sum of one dollar, consisting of one of the finest Hotels in the State, several valuable and pleasant dwelling houses, tracts of farm lands, city lots and very fine furniture. Some samples of the silver were very beaten at the Ticket Office window, No. 48 Lasalle street.

We give below the following notices of this institution which shows we are not alone in the belief that the concern is a sound one. We know Mr. Dement, and do not believe he would engage in anything of the sort, but in good faith.—*Chicago Democrat.*

The Dement Building Association seems to be attracting a good deal of attention of late, and although we do not approve of gift enterprises as a general thing, yet in this case we see no cause to object, as we believe it is a straight-forward and fair proposition to sell the property, by the schedule of prices at a very low rate for cash. The prizes are numerous, and the well known firm of one of our wealthiest firms for the purpose of this drawing guarantees to purchasers buying tickets, that they either have a chance of drawing a prize of value, or their money back, and the unimpeachable character of the gentlemen selected to conduct the drawing prove the good faith of the gentlemen interested in it. And we cannot think of anything that costs so small a sum as one dollar, that would be likely to give as good satisfaction for a Christmas or a New Year's present as one of these tickets. We may say that we hope Mr. Dement will succeed in his undertaking, as we believe his motives in going into this arrangement are meritorious. Mr. Dement was born and raised in Illinois and has too many interests here, aside from the drawing in his prosperous, to do anything that is not strictly honorable.—*Times.*

We spoke yesterday in relation to Mr. Dement's great Stock Association, at 45 Lasalle street, of the reliability of the concern—that it was both safe and reliable. Since then, we are happy in being able to state, with official confirmation that Mr. Dement, in order to make everything satisfactory to the ticket-holders, has made arrangements for depositing the tickets with Joy & Frisbie, the well-known merchants of this city, to become the receivers of all monies that may come into Mr. Dement's hands for the sale of tickets. So that, providing the drawing does not take place as advertised each ticket holder can receive his money from the gentlemen by this ticket in Messrs. Joy & Frisbie. They are too well known throughout the Northwest as being kings and honorable merchants, to accept money from our hands. All we can say is to advise our friends to "go in," and buy all the tickets they can afford. The "Institution" is "sound to the core."—*Chicago Journal.*

The Dement Building Association.—The particular attention of the reader is called to a lengthy advertisement in this number, announcing one of the grandest gift enterprises ever presented for public patronage—the Dement House at Fulton City, which cost originally $100,000, is put up at $50,000, and three hundred and forty-nine other prizes, varying in value from $3 500 to 25 each. The experience of our citizens in matters of this kind of late years, has caused them to look with distrust upon advertisements; but the array of names at the foot of the advertisement and the plan to sell the drawing, will at least inspire some confidence in the transaction, and secure a rapid and extensive sale of stock.—*Chicago Sunday Leader.*

M. P. HENRY, CHAS. DEMENT, HUGH MAHER, Directors.

CHARLES DEMENT, President.

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THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 3, 1859.

Superior Court of Chicago.

The Republicans of Cook County will learn with astonishment that the Democracy are flattering themselves with the delusion that our party will divide with them the judicial officers—two Judges and two Clerks of the Superior Court—created by an act of the late Legislature. We think we can truthfully declare that they will do no such thing. The Republican party has any amount of material out of which just Judges and competent Clerks can be made; and they have what is not less important—a majority by which, when nominated, they can be elected. It is well enough that this be understood now; a knowledge of the fact will save a vast deal of palavering which in the end will come to naught—a vast many trades that will prove to be child's bargains after all. If any man is foolish enough to suppose, that, with a clear majority of 2,500 in Cook County, the Democrats would listen to a proposition to set off for Republican benefit two honorable and lucrative places, that man should be bored for the simples without a moment's delay. Nothing less than a Convention, and regular nominations of able and unexceptionable men, for all the places created, and their election by the usual Republican majorities, will answer the demands of the party. It would be a sorry illustration of Popular Sovereignty to see some such brawler as Bob Blackwell carry off the prize at the end of a scrub-race in which half-a-dozen Republican candidates would defeat themselves. No, the Court of which we speak has an unexceptionable man on the Bench, and the way by which fitting associates must be placed along side of him, is to plain to be mistaken. An elective judiciary is bad enough at the best; and is only tolerable when the best men are entrusted with judicial power. Where, we ask, can they be more certainly found than in the Republican ranks? Let us have nominations!

"Put Money in thy Purse"—Twenty Millions More.

The telegraph reports that a bill passed the Senate yesterday, 24 yeas to 10 nays, authorising Secretary Cobb to issue twenty millions more of treasury notes. Coming into power with millions of money in the treasury, the Buchanan administration seems only bent upon involving the nation in debt to the last dollar capitalists will invest in its securities. Every Democratic spoilsman—their name is legion—adopts the motto—"put money in my purse"—and the weak, old gentleman of the White House is too benevolent to interpose. The entire revenues of the country are absorbed, and twenty millions at a time have been added so often to the permanent debt of the country that it has ceased to excite surprise.

All this occurs in a time of profound peace when the expenses of the government should be brought rigidly within its income. The harpies about the capitol seem actuated by Satanic energy, with prudent foresight, doubtless, that their time is short. The people of the United States cannot and will not endure such waste and extravagance. Retrenchment and reform—honest, capable men for all the offices of the nation—will be the watch cry of the Republican masses in 1860, and with it they will march to a certain, a glorious, and an enduring victory.

Illegal Voting.

If a Registry law had been in existence in Chicago on Tuesday, the Republican majority would have been from five to eight hundred larger than it was. The Democrats did an enormous amount of double voting. Scores upon scores of Celts voted from twice to ten times each for Gillman & Company. Bridgeport flooded into the Tenth Ward, and after voting there, scattered into the other Wards. Granger received at least 200 illegal votes. The rabble were exceedingly anxious to elect him, and voted often enough to make a sure thing of it—as they supposed. This duplicate voting was quietly and systematically practiced in all the Wards, by the Democrats. It was a part of the plan adopted by their secret club organization; and it was the anticipated efficacy of these fraudulent ballots that, doubtless, made the *Times* feel so perfectly confident of success. We repeat, that had none but legal votes been cast, the Republican majority would have exceeded 1,600 majority. Can not the Council devise some way of furnishing the judges of election a complete alphabetical list of the voters in each Ward? What legal obstacle is there against having such a list prepared a few days before charter election each spring? There is no other way of protecting the ballot box against enormous frauds at the charter elections.

Feels Bad.

The *Times* was howling with rage yesterday over the crushing defeat its party had just received. It lays the cause to everything but the right one. It asserts that the National Democrats voted the Republican ticket, which is nonsense. Three-fourths of them supported the Gilman ticket, and perhaps a larger proportion.

It also alleges that the Democratic runners, hackmen and pimps voted Republican. This is another falsehood. There may have been here and there such a vote given, but the mass of that class of people went solid for the ticket labelled "Democratic." It is very silly for the *Times* to lay its defeat to any such stuff; the real cause was, that the *people* were not willing to trust the tax-eaters with the Government of the city. The Douglas Democrats put forth all their efforts but fell short of the mark. They were beaten simply because the Republicans out-numbered them a thousand votes,—that's all.

Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

In addition to the regular business of the day—the election of the Republican ticket—the people did a good thing on Tuesday in calling U. P. Harris to the Chief Engineership of the Fire Department. No doubt the friends of McBride are disgusted with the result; and no doubt many of them in the Department will threaten to disband their companies and resign. We trust that nobody will interfere with the instant execution of whatever indignant resolve of that sort they make; because it is self-evident that any company which insists upon being improperly commanded and imperfectly disciplined has ceased to be useful to the public.

Mr. Harris and his able assistants—Knights and Langdon—have a work of reform before them, from which we trust they will not shrink. It is in their power to make the department what it once was; and we trust they will take hold of their duties in earnest.

Defeat of Dr. Foster.

The defeat of Dr. Foster, Republican candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward, was, yesterday, a matter of general regret. We take it that many Democrats, impelled by party considerations to oppose him, did so with the secret wish that their opposition would prove unsuccessful; and that they are now deprecating the responsibility they assumed in depriving the Council of the services of a man of his ability and conservatism. We wish the decision could have been different.

Lost their Money.

The confident tone of the *Times* before the election and its boast that Gilman would be elected by 700 majority, filled the betting men of its party with false confidence. They put up their money freely that Haines would not be elected; that he would not get two, four, six, and eight hundred majority. Thousands of dollars changed hands on 800 majority. Scores of Democrats who were fooled into staking their money by the *Times* were bitterly cursing that sheet and its lying editors, yesterday.

Additional from Vera Cruz.

New Orleans, March 1.—The additional advices by the Tennessee are interesting.

The English and French fleets before Vera Cruz appeared to be hostile to Juarez and are reported to have intercepted his reinforcements, and in other ways favored Miramon.

Miramon threatens to sack the city. The English and French fleets had been applied to for protection, but refused it. It was not thought, however, that they will openly participate in the attack on the city.

The St. Clair Flats.

It will be seen by our telegraphic dispatches, that the House yesterday passed a bill appropriating fifty-five thousand dollars for improving the St. Clair Flats. If we mistake not, this bill has yet to try its chances in the Senate, where it will doubtless sleep forever. Our Democratic solons in the Senate can only vote money for *salt water* improvements. It is decidedly unconstitutional to protect or to promote commerce upon the great inland seas of the continent. *The water is fresh.* It is only exposed to *Northern* gales, and deserves no fostering care from the Government.

"The triumph of the wicked is short," saith the Good Book; and these worthies may revel in brief authority till the census of 1860 has had its full effect upon public opinion in the Halls of Congress. These gentlemen may possibly learn that the commerce of the lakes is already more than double in value that of the entire foreign trade of the nation. "Cotton" cannot always "be king." The West will demand the improvement of her harbors and rivers, and Congress will not dare to refuse. Mark that.

The Ministry at Large.

Editors Press and Tribune:

Will you permit me to speak through your paper to those among its readers who are interested in the work of the "Ministry at Large" in Chicago? I have been but a short time in the discharge of the duties connected with that office, yet I have come to know better than ever I knew previously, that not only is it true "one half the world does not know how the other half lives," but it is more painfully true that the half does not know how the other struggles to live.

The "Minister at Large" is, by the very condition of his ministry, brought in contact with those who have struggled and been defeated, or who are fast losing heart and hope as one after another of those ties that bind us one to another and all to a certain social standing which we call "success in life," are snapping asunder.

A poor woman came yesterday to see if I could help her. Her husband is a painter; they came to this city, from Holland, just as the hard times were setting in. Since then they have struggled to get a living, which she tried hard to tell me in touching broken English, very difficult to understand. "Will you come see us; and see how he can paint? He can do anything." It was evident to me that no amount of ill fortune could destroy her faith in him. I went, of course, and found by the specimens shown me, that he was a man of ability. He can do any kind of work, plain, imitation or fresco—I saw some specimens of the latter which pleased me very much—indeed all I saw stamped him as a man of considerable ability though through an affection in the back he cannot stand to work outside a house, but is sufficiently strong to do all kinds of inside work.

He has some small pictures of considerable merit, which he has painted just for bread; two were waiting to be finished. No more paint, no money. I was glad to make that possible. He has a family of three children here; they will be glad to go into the country or stay in the city. I trust this will meet the eye of some helper of the faint-hearted, who will give him a trial.

Other cases are waiting to be noticed. Boys of sixteen who come eagerly to seek work; men who will be worth anything to the right man, but either do not know how to find him or have lost hope, I am their Pastor, they are members of *my* church; I want help for them to help themselves.

ROBERT COLLYER,
Minister at large.

Office hours 9 to 12, rear of the Unitarian Church.

THE APRIL ELECTIONS.

An Act to change the time of holding Town Meetings in the County of Cook.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That hereafter the annual town meetings in the county of Cook shall be held on the first Tuesday next after the first Monday of November in each year.

Sec. 2. The Supervisor of each town in said county of Cook shall be the Moderator of the meeting, and shall, at the same time, be one of the Board of Election now provided for by law. The Town Clerk shall also act as one of the Clerks of the Election, as also of the town meeting. In case the Supervisor and Town Clerk, or either of them, should be absent, then the electors present shall choose from their number to fill the Board of Election, and the business of the town meeting, as also the election for State, County, Town and other officers, shall proceed in all respects as if they were present.

Sec. 3. The town officers now in office in said county of Cook shall hold over until the next general election after their term of office for which they were elected expires, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Sec. 4. In the towns of North Chicago, West Chicago, South Chicago, and such other towns as may hereafter be created out of said towns, the town meetings now provided for by law shall be abolished, and the Board of Auditors now provided for by law, and the Assistant Supervisors and Ward Supervisors shall constitute a Board, who shall transact all the town business now provided by law to be transacted by the town meeting.

Sec. 5. The town officers for the towns of North Chicago, South Chicago and West Chicago shall be voted for by wards or election precincts, and the returns of the elections shall be made to the Town Clerk of each of said towns, who, calling to his assistance two Justices of the Peace of said county, shall canvass the votes and grant certificates of election to the persons receiving the highest number of votes. The Judge of Election appointed by the Common Council of the city of Chicago in each year shall hold said elections.

Sec. 6. The Board of Election shall make returns to the County Clerk for all the officers voted for, except the town officers, and shall declare who are elected town officers as now provided for by law.

Sec. 7. Special town meetings may be held during the year 1859 to transact the business which the changing of the time for the annual town meeting by this act may make necessary.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Wm. R. Morrison,
Speaker of House of Representatives.
John Wood,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved February 24, 1859.

Wm. H. Bissell.

Indiana.

Cols. Lane and McCarty address the People—They meet with an enthusiastic greeting.

[Correspondence of the Cincinnati Gazette.]

Indianapolis, Feb. 25, 1859.

Col. Henry S. Lane and Col. Wm. M. McCarty, the genuine U. S. Senators from this State, notwithstanding the refusal of that body to recognize their claims, addressed a large concourse of people, last evening, in the Hall of the House of Representatives, giving a history of their mission to Washington, and the results of their observations while there, and rendering to their constituents an account of their stewardship.

McCarty made the opening speech, and was well received. He showed the utter worthlessness of the arguments by which Senators had endeavored to justify their action in the Indiana case; censured, in severe terms, the extravagance, inefficiency, and corruption of the present Administration, and demonstrated in an undeniable manner the recreancy of the so-called, or Lecompton Democracy, from the principles inculcated by the fathers of the party. He was uncompromising in his denunciation of Buchanan and his minions. McCarty spoke for about an hour, and was followed by Lane, in one of the happiest of his proverbially happy efforts. From the time he commenced his speech until the close thereof, he enchained the attention of the audience, and was continually interrupted with their plaudits. He commenced by returning his thanks to the people for their kind reception, and rejoicing that he had escaped from the noisome and pestilential atmosphere of Washington city, to one of a much purer and healthier character, and from among the servants of the people to themselves. He said his mission to the Capital of the nation was like unto that of a certain one of old, who went from Jerusalem vown to Jericho, "*And fell among thieves.*" His allusions to the course pursued toward Col. McCarty and himself, by the Lecompton U. S. Senators, and their action in the Indiana case, especially that of the "eloquent young Senator" from Ohio, were keen and cutting, and met with the hearty approval of the audience.

Railway Earnings.

Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana.—Third week in February:

	1859.	1858.
Passengers	$11,347.23	$11,195.70
Freight	13,109.08	7,845.10
Mails	1,046.65	1,046.65
Total	$25,502.96	$20,187.45

Canada Great Western Railway.—The following is the traffic on this road for the week ending February 25th, 1859:

Passengers	$15,949.99
Freight	18,046.[illegible]5
Mails and sundries	1,317.19
Total	$35,313.54
Corresponding week of last year	$3[illegible],367.35

Earnings of Chicago, B. & Q. Railroad between Chicago and Burlington (210 miles) in February 1859:

Freight	$41,114.36
Passengers	25,363.07
Mail and Miscellaneous	1,743.48
Total	$68,223.91

Being $324.[illegible] per mile.

Earnings of Quincy & Chicago R. R. Co., between Galesburg and Chicago (100 miles) in February 1859:

Freight	$9,843.64
Passengers	8,984.29
Mail and Miscellaneous	846.33
Total	$19,674.26

Being $196.[illegible] per mile.

THE CITY.

☞ We are under obligations to Messrs. Culver & Co. for European commercial letters by the Canada.

Who Bet on the Bay.—A small bay horse, with saddle and bridle was stolen from the Court House square on Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock.

Dissolution of Copartnership.—It is understood that the firm of "Gilman & Reform," whose wagons so labelled were busy about town on Tuesday, is dissolved. There are rumors of an assignment indeed, of all the firm effects

Life of Jumpertz.—Norris & Hyde are ready with the "Life and Trial of Henry Jumpertz." Two thousand were sold yesterday. The work is being translated, to be brought out in German, by our friends of the *Staats Zeitung.*

☞ Rich Furniture, Carpets, etc., at auction. This morning at 10 o'clock, Messrs. Gilbert & Sampson sell at their salesroom, No. 82 Lake street, a large variety of furniture, carpets and housekeeping goods.

The Matinee To-Morrow.—The notable attractions of the programme of the Matinee at Metropolitan Hall to-morrow, by the Italian Opera Troupe, hardly need to be enforced by anything more than a glance at the same as announced in another column.

Jumpertz.—The Life and Career of Henry Jumpertz has just been received by McNally & Co., 81 Dearborn street. They also have now ready Leslie's Family Magazine, Harper, Atlantic, Knickerbocker and Chess Monthly for March, and the English papers of February 12.

Look out for your Pockets.—At the auction at 135 Adams street, yesterday, a lady had her pocket picked of a portmonnaie containing about thirty dollars. As soon as her loss was made known, another lady discovered that she too had been relieved. If Mrs. Toodles will go to auction she must hold on to her purse.

The Eighth Ward Matter.—In the case of the tie announced on the vote for Alderman in the Eighth Ward, we learn that it is the intention of C. Wahl, the Republican candidate, to contest the seat on the ground that he really had a majority of the votes, but that the tellers made a mistake in the count.

The Post Office Case.—In the United States Circuit Court, before Judge Drummond, the case of the Palatine postmaster, Daniel Martin, has been disposed of.

He, and his son Abiel Martin, were tried for stealing a letter from the post office at that place. In the case of the father, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty without leaving their seats. Abiel, the son, was found guilty and sentenced by the Court to two years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

Larcenies.—On Tuesday night a man named Thomas Nickson, a clock-mender, was arrested upon suspicion of entering a house on Aberdeen street, West Division, occupied by Mrs. Webster, and stealing $10 in gold from a bureau. He is also charged with stealing a box containing an unknown amount of silver from one Mrs. Burns, and a watch, ear-rings and breast-pin from Mrs. Courtney, living in the West Division. His case is continued for further examination.

—In yesterday's Police Court William Hart was held to bail for stealing a steam gauge valued at $20, from Stevens & Co., a Colt's revolver from Daniel and Charles A. Eaton, and a double-barreled gun, which he had pawned.

A Lively Boarder.—At the new Penitentiary in Joliet, a convict named Nathan Van Camp, a few days since having decided upon enlarging his sphere of operations, effected the same by letting himself down from an upper window by a rope.

Doubtless to show he had no hard feelings towards his late entertainers, he secured a few souvenirs, which in value did more credit to his taste than his honesty. Previous to his leaving he broke open the trunk of the lady of one of the prison contractors, and stole diamonds and jewelry to the amount of $1,009. Among the articles stolen were a large diamond cross pin, pair of diamond ear-rings diamond ring, pair of gold sleeve buttons, two unset diamonds, a gold ring, and a small hunting watch with gold guard chain.

After two days liberty, he was re-arrested on Tuesday last at Calumet, and returned to his former quarters.

A Wife's Quest for her Worthless Husband.—Mrs. Ingraham is the mother of ten children, and the family have been living for some time past at Holden, Maine. She is in good standing in the Methodist church at that place. Some time since her husband left her to go to Michigan, intending to go into business, and agreed to send for her. A long time elapsed and no tidings arrived from him in answer to her numerous letters. She became poor, and took in washing to support herself and her little family. She was finally reduced to beg from door to door for a living.

Finally this kind of life became intolerable, and she sold everything she had and came to Michigan. She there learned that he had gone to Chicago. She followed him hither, and found him living with another woman, and a child, the result of his illicit intercourse. He refused to provide money for her, and she was again reduced to beggary.

Yesterday morning the wretch of a husband was arrested on a warrant sworn out before Justice Akin, on a charge of adultery.

The Italian Opera last Evening—Parodi's Norma.—The elements last evening were against the Opera, but the Norma of Parodi had attractions not to be obscured by clouds, and had awakened eager anticipations not to be in the least dampened by the falling rain. Again the seats were sold with a perfect rush yesterday, under weather influences the most benign, and the manager had a crowded house in prospect even before the doors were opened. Those afloat on admission tickets only, were early if fortunate in getting seats.

The house was a brilliant one, unsurpassed by any of the season thus far. That the audience were well pleased, and even more, need not be said. Parodi never sang better, nor won more applause. She has before appeared in Chicago upon our concert boards, in selections from the great opera of Norma, and always to the delight of music-lovers, but to readily appreciate her merits, the selection must be restored to its place in the opera, the vocalist must become the *prima donna*, Parodi's Norma must receive the adjuncts and accessories of the lyric stage, and then success becomes a triumph. We opine that among the many who have heard Parodi, but not in opera—her perfect acting of her part even in selections, her retaining in the concert room the expression, the fervor, the gestures that upon the stage have won her laurels and renown, have told less to her merit than they should have done. The audience expecting to hear Parodi, but finding Norma, and not understanding the latter, have some of them associated with Parodi peculiarities that totally disappear upon the stage, or appear only as crowning excellencies.

Parodi, with the bewitching Madame Strakosch as Adalgisa, and Junca as Oroveso, constituted a cast which gave us a fine representation of the great opera of the evening.

To-night we are glad to learn that the charming opera of *Martha*, so rapturously received on Tuesday evening, will be repeated, with the magnificent Colson as Martha. The occasion is one none should lose.

The opera season is waning away. On to-morrow evening *Trovatore* will be repeated. On Saturday evening *La Somnambula* will be the occasion of Colson's benefit, where those who would be found in good seats will do well to attend to the matter to-day.

Thus will close the second week. But there is something, there must be something, yet in store, for which our public will not, we think, look in vain from M. Strakosch.

We must have *Don Giovanni* with the full cast of this superb company. It is not yet announced, but the season will be incomplete without it. We are aware of the great extra expense in its preparation, that the choruses have to be enlarged, that the inevitable added expense is not inconsiderable. It has been rumored that in case Don Giovani be produced, recourse must be had to an auction for sale of choice of seats to answer the double purpose of meeting heavier outlay, and a heavier rush for seats. A far better way, however, will be the more equitable one of the not unusual advance in the price of seats on Don Giovanni night. We must have that opera by all means.

City Election.

FOR MAYOR.

Wards.	Haines, R. (1859)	Gilman, D. (1859)	Haines, R. (1858)	Brainard, D. (1858)	Wentworth, D. (1857)	Carver, D. (1857)
First	904	606	976	598	638	308
Second	1063	886	1091	977	897	582
Third	688	632	698	749	650	403
Fourth	429	501	502	594	383	330
Fifth	1059	673	1103	664	578	271
Sixth	1275	980	1187	785	728	5[illegible]9
Seventh	1273	1290	1217	1160	604	944
Eighth	604	555	719	[illegible]03	477	511
Ninth	375	428	434	445	308	415
Tenth	907	1206	720	504	376	529
Total	8577	7728	8647	7507	5938	4843

Haines over Brainard in 1858 ... 1,140
Haines over Gilman in 1859 ... 849
Aggregate vote in 1858 ... 16,1[illegible]
Aggregate vote in 1859 ... 16,305

Wards.	Harvey (Treasurer)	Link (Treasurer)	Mueller (Collector)	Reidel (Collector)	Crocker (Attorney)	Mulligan (Attorney)	Larsen (Pl. Clerk)	Eames (Pl. Clerk)
First	935	581	917	578	941	573	888	622
Second	1060	885	1000	887	940	878	1000	967
Third	699	596	659	596	698	592	669	616
Fourth	425	507	410	519	427	506	407	524
Fifth	10[illegible]8	678	1057	584	1071	[illegible]68	1040	651
Sixth	1300	941	1225	1006	1201	949	1287	949
Seventh	1281	1284	1274	1318	1278	1291	1276	1290
Eighth	693	552	558	578	590	568	609	552
Ninth	372	439	354	434	338	443	367	424
Tenth	910	1205	909	1195	916	1199	915	1201
	8662	7658	8343	7068	8520	7664	8469	7796

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Wards.	Harris	Knight	Langdon	McBride	Ryan	Held
First	1301	1271	1194	308	330	318
Second	1454	1435	1453	520	539	519
Third	669	657	662	401	410	403
Fourth	433	407	410	512	503	504
Fifth	1015	1019	1019	688	649	[illegible]
Sixth	1316	1309	1299	935	941	951
Seventh	949	946	947	1610	1611	1608
Eighth	739	727	710	417	446	418
Ninth	584	585	585	290	290	218
Tenth	773	773	773	1342	1342	1342
	9433	9352	9353	6648	6945	6868

STREET COMMISSIONERS.

South Division.

	Peter Wolf.	Anton Berg.
First Ward	845	588
Second ward	593	802
Third ward	631	615
Fourth ward	389	639
	2,458	2,644

West Division.

	Peter Seygeh.	A. Sallisbury.
Fifth ward	884	660
Sixth ward	1,261	981
Tenth ward	910	1,194
	3,055	2,835

North Division.

	Kolvis.	Baer.
Seventh ward	1,278	1,263
Eighth ward	584	545
Ninth ward	367	459
	2,229	2,267

Majorities.

The following are the majorities received by the various candidates on the general ticket:

Haines over Gilman	849
Harvey over Link	1074
Mueller over Reidel	675
Crocker over Mulligan	856
Larsen over Eames	673
Harris over M Bride	2585
Knight over Ryan	2407
Langdon over Held	2485
Wolf over Berg	214
Seygeh over Salisbury	220
Baer over Kolvis	38

Ward Officers.

First Ward.—*Alderman*—J. K. Botsford 929; J. Gurley, 583. Botsford's majority, 346. *Constable*—Chilson, 935; Browse, 566. Chilson's maj. 369.

Second Ward.—*Alderman*—Jacob Harris, 1049; Harvey Danks, 877. Harris' majority, 172. *Constable*—Courtwright, 1027; Hudson, 913. Courtwright's maj. 114.

Third Ward.—*Alderman*—Fernando Jones, 667; Dr. J. A. Hahn, 608. Jones' maj. 59. *Constable*—Pierce, 635; Caldwell, 610. Pierce's maj. 25.

Fourth Ward.—*Alderman*—J. M. Kennedy, 519. Dr. J. H. Foster, 396. Kennedy's majority, 123. *Constable*—Cook 461. Jennings, 445. Cook's majority, 16.

Fifth Ward.—*Alderman*—L. B. Taft, 999. L. P. Cherney, 728. Taft's majority, 271. *Constable*—Carthew, 994. Sutton, 624. Carthew's majority, 370.

Sixth Ward.—*Alderman*—C. A. Reno, 1,221. J. Brobston, 1,038. Reno's majority, 174. *Constable*—Ferris, 1,232, Sitts, 992. Ferris' majority, 240.

Seventh Ward.—*Alderman*—J. Alston, 1,294; E. Granger, 1,249. Alston's maj. 45. *Constable*—Hettinger, 1,285; Barry, 1,258. Hettinger's maj. 27.

Eighth Ward.—*Alderman*—C. Wahl, 575; W. W. Jackson, 575.

Ninth Ward.—*Alderman*—J. A. Huck, 421; A. G. Burley, 377. Huck's maj. 44. *Constable*—Heaphy, 419; Prince, 361. Heaphy's maj. 58.

Tenth Ward.—*Alderman*—Comiskey, 1,182; Wilson, 937. Comiskey's maj. 245. *Constable*—Fleming 1,196; Otto, 896. Fleming's maj. 300.

The Life of Henry Jumpertz.—The great and absorbing interest with which our community has regarded the case of the unfortunate man now under sentence of death in this city, for the murder of Sophie Werner, will give a value and temporary demand for all and anything that may serve to throw light upon the history of the tragedy and its actors.

The enterprising news-men, Messrs. Norris & Hyde, No. 100 Dearborn street, have laid upon our table a pamphlet just issued by them, "*The Life, Career and Trial of Henry Jumpertz.*" It will be remembered that it was upon this book the injunction of the Court was issued, restraining its publication, during the interval between the conviction of the prisoner and the decision upon the motion for a new trial. The injunction having been dissolved, the book will be on sale to-day. It purports to be a history of the "Barrel Tragedy" from its first inception; also, a full report of the trial of one of the most marked in the criminal annals of our city.

The most interesting portion of the book (which is evidently hastily thrown together) will be found in the full personal details of the life and parentage of Henry Jumpertz, given in and from the authentic form of letters from his home. From these we learn that Henry is the oldest son and child of respectable, intelligent, but poor, parents residing at Bonn, Prussia. Their letters to their son are among the most affecting we have ever read. The writers are devout religionists of the Roman Catholic faith. Their other children were a son and daughter, now living, respectively of the ages of seventeen and thirteen, and a son named Franz, two years younger than Henry, or about twenty-four years old, believed to be dead. Henry and Franz came to this country some five years since, and almost immediately separated, and for four years nothing has been heard of Franz, though he has been widely advertised for, in the leading cities of this country.

Thus to the grief of a son for four years missing, is now added the worse fate of the eldest son, now in the cell of a convicted murderer in this city.

Police Summary.—A variety of cases were disposed of at the Armory yesterday, as follows: Michael Bowen, disorderly at the 4th Ward polls, $5; Joseph Simonds, disorderly, $5; James Kelly, drunk and insulting a lady, $5; Thomas Sampson, a boy, disorderly conduct at the Madison street Soup House, $10; George H. Brown and John Powers, disorderly,—the former $5 and the latter $3; James Irwin, disorderly at the 4th Ward polls, $10; Timothy Lyens, drunk and disorderly at the 2d Ward polls, $5; Michael Raning, disorderly $1.

Two cousins, each named John Garrity, were fined $3 apiece for fighting; John McGraw was fined $5 for fighting at the 3d Ward polls. Jas. Talbot was fined $5 and twenty days in the Bridewell for stealing a codfish from a store on Lake street. A man named Ziegleman, and a woman named Ziegler, were arrested for adultery. The case was a mixed one, and as both parties were decidedly disorderly, they were fined $25 and thirty days each in the Bridewell.

United States Circuit Court.—The March term of this court commences on Monday next, the 7th instant. For the benefit of members of the bar, we are authorized to state that his Honor, Judge Drummond, upon the opening of the term, will call the docket of the Circuit Court cases at law and in equity, in order to ascertain what cases will be ready for trial or hearing, on which occasion counsel will state whether they wish their cases taken up, and no litigation case (except by consent,) will be heard or tried except the cases noted for trial.

Olympic Base Ball Club.—A meeting of the O. B. B. C. will be held at their club room, No. 168 Kinzie street, on Thursday evening, March 3d, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

Wm. Barry Willard, Sec.

The Chicago Homoepathic Medical Society.—The regular meeting of this Society will be held in Dr. Shipman's office this evening at 8 o'clock.

R. Ludlam, M. D., Sec'y.

Temperance Meeting.—The Washingtonian Union will meet at the Mechanic's Institute Hall this evening at 7½ o'clock. All are invited to be present. By order of the Executive Committee.

☞ Cook & McLain, 98 Dearborn street, are as usual renovating and repairing gentlemens clothes for Spring wear, and making them at a trifling cost equally as good as new. Those who study a wise economy and who dress neat, should not fail to call on them.

LOCAL MATTERS.

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☞ See advertisement of Quaker City $20 Sewing Machine. L. Cornell & Co., oc26-1y 133 Lake street.

MARRIED.

Last evening, in the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Chicago, by the Rev. Ira E Kenney, Mr. NELSON L. STOW of this city, late of New Haven, Con., and Miss MEDA G. GIBSON, of Chicago.

DIED.

At San Francisco, Cal., on the 2d January, JOSEPH W. TINKHAM, aged 29 years. Formerly of this city.

On the 28th of February last, while on a visit at Crete, Will County, Ill., Mrs. LYDIA ELLIS, aged 66 years.

Mrs. Ellis was relict of the late Samuel Ellis of this county, and with her late husband was among the earliest settlers of this city and vicinity, and endured some of the dangers as well as privations of the pioneers of our now prosperous location, and like those pioneers she was endowed with those energies and qualities essential to the successful enterprises of those early days blended with the home virtues, equally necessary to make that success permanent.

By her long residence here the deceased became well and favorably known to most of the old residents of our vicinity, and leaves them, with her bereaved descendants, to mourn a loss which her long continued kindness makes the more irreparable.

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NOTICE.—THE FIRM OF NEWELL & Wiedhofft is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts of the firm will be paid by A. H. WIEDHOFFT, he alone being authorized to settle the business of the firm. ADMUND NEWELL, A. H. WIEDHOFFT. Chicago, March 2d, 1859. mh3-1t*

WANTED—A MAN TO TAKE charge of the office in a manufacturing business. A loan of from $1200 to $1500 will be required, for which security will be given. References required and given. Address "L. B. M." Post Office Box 788. mh3-3t*

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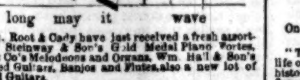

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STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY, S. S.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas—April Term, A. D. 1859.

Joseph Williams, President for the use of the Southern Bank of Indiana, vs. Eber R. Ward—Attachment. Public Notice is hereby given to the said Eber R. Ward that a writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1859, at the suit of the said Joseph H. Williams, and against the estate of the said Eber R. Ward for the sum of Twenty-Two Hundred and Twenty-Two and 15-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Eber R. Ward, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next Term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1859, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Joseph H. Williams, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same. WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

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6:10 P. M. Mendota accommodation—arriving at Mendota 11.00 P. M.

Trains leave Eastward as follows:

Leave Burlington [illegible] A. M. & [illegible] P. M.
" Quincy [illegible] A. M. & [illegible] P. M.
" Galesburg [illegible] A. M. & [illegible] P. M.
" Mendota [illegible] A. M. & [illegible] A. M.

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Sam'l Powell, Gen'l Ticket Ag't. mh3

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Chicago, March 1, 1859.

MORTGAGE SALE.—WHEREAS Nathaniel S. Bouton and Emily L. Bouton his wife, of Chicago, Illinois, executed and delivered unto me the undersigned Leaming H. Bradley a certain indenture of mortgage of the premises hereinafter described, bearing date the twenty-ninth day of October, A. D. 1856, to secure the payment of four certain promissory notes therein mentioned, with a condition in said mortgage that if default be made in the payment of said promissory notes, or either of them, either of principal or interest, on the days whereon the same shall become due and payable, the whole of said principal and interest secured by the said promissory notes in said mortgage mentioned, shall thereupon become due and payable; which said mortgage was filed for record on the first day of November 1856, in the Recorder's Office in and for Cook County and State of Illinois, and recorded in Book Twenty Six of Mortgages, page 559. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that default having been made in the payment of the third note, or the one due November first, A. D. 1858, and by the terms of said mortgage the whole became due and payable.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1859, at 2 o'clock P. M., of said day, at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Chicago by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, I the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Chicago, county of Cook and State of Illinois, being a part of a certain parcel of land in the Canal Trustees Subdivision of the west half of section twenty-seven (27) township number thirty-nine (39) north of range fourteen (14) east, and bounded as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point on the west line of said section forty (40) one hundred (100) feet north of the east end of a partition fence on out lot fifty-two (52) of said subdivision; said fence is known as the partition fence between lands owned by the heirs of Joseph Matteson and the grantee of Asher Rossetter; thence east fifty (50) feet along said east line, thence west to the centre of out lot forty (40) fifty (50) feet; thence north along said out lot; thence East parallel with said partition fence to the place of beginning, being the same premises described in the said mortgage, together with all the rights, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Nathaniel S. Bouton and Emily L. Bouton, his wife, in and to the aforesaid premises.

Chicago, March 2d 1859. LEAMING H. BRADLEY, Mortgagee. mh3-1d-c361

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DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERship heretofore existing under the name of Sears & Shoecroft is this day dissolved by mutual consent. George Shoecroft will settle all accounts of the late firm out of the City of New York.

February 8th, 1859. JOHN R. SEARS, fe15-2awfw* GEORGE SHOECROFT.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. The firm of Collins & Blatchford, proprietors of the Chicago Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead Works, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. W. Blatchford having purchased the interest of Morris Collins in said concern. The accounts of the firm will be closed by E. W. Blatchford, who is authorized to use the name of said firm in liquidation, and to whom all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

MORRIS COLLINS, Chicago, March 1, '59. E. W. BLATCHFORD.

Chicago Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead Works.

The undersigned will continue the manufacturing business under his individual name, and also the Agency of the Collier White Lead and Oil Co., of St. Louis, and of the St. Louis Shot Tower Co., and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to the firm of Collins & Blatchford.

Chicago, March 1, 1859. E. W. BLATCHFORD.

The firm of Blatchford & Collins, Proprietors of the St. Louis Lead Pipe & Sheet Lead Works is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Morris Collins having purchased the interest of E. W. Blatchford in said Works. The accounts of the firm will be closed by Morris Collins, who is authorized to use the name of said firm in liquidation. Those indebted to the firm will please make immediate payment.

E. W. BLATCHFORD, St. Louis, March 1, '59. MORRIS COLLINS.

St. Louis Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead Works.

The undersigned will continue the manufacturing business under his own name, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to the firm of Blatchford & Collins.

St. Louis, March 1, 1859. MORRIS COLLINS.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF WILLARD, Alexander & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. L. A. Willard retiring from the firm, he having sold his interest in the Banking House of Willard, Alexander & Co. to L. B. Alexander & Co.

February 1, 1859. L. A. WILLARD, L. B. ALEXANDER.

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JAMES H. REES, SAMUEL DENMAN, Chicago, March 1, 1859. DAVID P. SLOCUM.

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mh1 c339 2w REES, DENMAN & CO.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. The firm heretofore existing under the name and style of Sawyer, Mellen & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Theodore Betts, John D. Mellen and John O. Mellen retiring. Mr. A. A. K. Sawyer is fully authorized to settle all business of said firm.

A. A. K. SAWYER, JOHN O. MELLEN, THEO. BETTS, JOHN D. MELLEN. fe18 2m

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—THE UNdersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under the name and style of Sawyer, Parker & Co., for purposes of transacting a General Commission business at the old stand of Sawyer, Mellen & Co.

A. A. K. SAWYER, Late of the firm of Sawyer, Mellen & Co. E. S. PARKER, L. O. BOYINGTON, fe18 3m Late Parker & Boyington.

NOTICE.—WE TAKE PLEASURE IN recommending the new firm of Sawyer, Parker & Co. as gentlemen fully entitled to the respect and confidence of the business community; and we trust the many friends of the late firm of Sawyer, Mellen & Co. and others wishing their business transacted in a prompt and efficient manner will bestow their patronage upon the new house.

THEO. BETTS, JOHN D. MELLEN, JOHN O. MELLEN. fe18 2m

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2. Aria from "Il Bravo"—Mercadante ... Sig. Nicola.
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4. Aria, Lucia di Lammermoor—Donizetti ... Sig. Amodio.
5. Aria from "La Traviata"—Verdi ... Mad. Colson.
6. "When other lips," from Bohemian Girl—Balfe ... Mr. Squires.
7. Carnival of Venice—Paganini. Performed on the Violoncello by ... Herr Mollenhauer
8. Duettino, Stabat Mater—Rossini. Sung by Mad. Colson and Mad. Strakosch

PART SECOND.

1. Overture "Norma"—Bellini ... Orchestra
2. Aria from "Il Barbiere di Siviglia"—Rossini ... Sig. Ettore Barili
3. Aria, "Anna Bolena"—Donizetti ... M'lle Simon
4. "Vien' la mia vendetta," from Lucretia Borgia—Donizetti ... Mons. Junca
5. The Magic Bell Solo Piano—Strakosch. Performed by ... Maurice Strakosch
6. The famous Laughing Song. Sung by ... Mad. Colson
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PRESS AND TRIBUNE.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 3, 1859.

Our Municipal Government.

The Republicans of Chicago, by their fidelity and zeal to the regular nominees of their party, by their energy unfailing, and success unequalled among American cities, have earned a thoroughly honest and economical government. This they are entitled to, and this they will have. Mayor, Council, and city officers from first to last, owe it to the people who have invested them with power to make the succeeding year a model of municipal administration. This we fully believe it will be. Mayor Haines is a man of unblemished integrity. In the sum total of abuse which has been heaped upon him by political enemies, there has not been an allegation against his honesty of purpose which has found a listener among those who know the man. The experience (rarely accorded to a Mayor of Chicago) of a year's management of city affairs, has given him the capacity to resign the Executive chair a year hence with a reputation second to that of no man who has ever filled it, and to leave the Republican party more safely and securely in the ascendancy than he found it in March 1858. He can make his administration the most popular, and the most deservedly popular we have had for years, and we confidently expect him to do it. In his efforts to carry out the principles laid down by those who nominated and elected him; to make economy and justice the practical, thorough and indubitable features of the municipal year; and in brief, to do the right always without fear or favor—he will have our earnest co-operation, and the support of a moral power in the community which will carry him through anything he may undertake. Let us not underrate the difficulties of his position. His duties are arduous and unremitting. Hundreds of things come up for his judgment requiring immediate decision, in some of which it is impossible that he should not err. As the city advances in a direct ratio in population, the difficulties which beset the Mayor's path are augmented in an arithmetical progress. Yet it is possible for us to have the best municipal government in the United States the coming year, and we have no doubt whatever that it will be given us.

The new members of the Council added to the Republican strength in that body are of the very best material in the city. They represent no clique and no particular interest. They are fresh from the people, independent, upright and capable. Their names do honor to their office. With the able and faithful members holding over from last year they will constitute the largest majority (with perhaps a single exception) ever given to a political party in the Board. To them more than to any others is the welfare of the city and the future success of Republicanism in Chicago committed. The people have entrusted them with both these interests, and we need not assure them that both are identical—that the permanence of Republican success in Chicago, and to a degree in the State of Illinois, depends more upon a wise and just municipal rule than upon anything else, after the principle of freedom which actuates the party of the nation.

We look forward then to a model administration for the year to come, and a series of prudent and beneficent measures which shall leave the Republican majority of Chicago still a beacon light among American cities.

Consequences of the Row at Springfield.

The consequences involved the rather sudden adjournment of the Illinois Legislature, without having provided for the ordinary expenses of the State government, are not as painful as many of our Democratic cotemporaries suppose. By a happy combination of circumstances, the appropriations for the maintenance of the charitable institutions at Jacksonville—the Insane Hospital, the Asylum for the Blind, and the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb—and for the continuance of the work on the New Penitentiary, were gotten through. These were the most important pecuniary matters of the session, for which existing laws did not provide. By a decision of the Supreme Court to which our attention is called, it is apparent that any salary established by the constitution may be lawfully paid by the Auditor and Treasurer without the authority of a special enactment therefor. If this decision is to govern, the salaries not only of Governor, Auditor, Treasurer and Secretary, but the pay of all the Judges of the various courts of the State, may be reached whenever they are due. With, then, the Executive and Judicial officers provided for, there need be no fear that the wheels of government will stop, and that Justice will strip the bandage off her eyes and throw away her sword. The payment of the interest and the dividends on the principal of the State Debt will not be delayed; hence the public credit will not suffer. Our condition then is not, after all, as desperate as has been represented. There are doubtless many private and a very few general bills which might have been profitably passed; and there are half a hundred creditors of the State who have furnished stationery and newspapers for the Legislature, or who have bills for repairs and improvements about the capitol, whom it would have been desirable to pay. It would have been only decent to have given the Governor the control of a Contingent Fund to meet any unlooked-for demand that may arise, to have fitted up anew the Executive Mansion and to have provided for the care of the grounds thereabout. All this would have been done but for the usurpation of the Democracy, who, to perpetuate power wrongfully held, would have consummated the most odious piece of legislation that was ever attempted in Illinois. For whatever inconvenience or loss, public or private, which may happen as a consequence of their indefensible and oligarchical act, the Democrats alone are responsible!

The Tariff and the Imports and Exports.

We are not prophets of evil; but with the spirit which prevails at Washington in regard to the necessary Tariff legislation, and with the unsubdued propensity of our people, under a low rate of duties, to make excessive importations of the necessaries which ought to be produced at home, and of the luxuries with which we might dispense, we see little prospect of the speedy return of that day of prosperity toward which all are anxiously looking. It is conceded that any revision of the Tariff, at this session of Congress, is impossible—that we must continue to purchase abroad the iron and lead, the woolens and other textile fabrics which our own forges and looms ought to turn out; and the tables of imports and exports prove that the madness of importation is not, meanwhile, in the least subdued. We copy from one of the New York commercial journals the following statistics:

IMPORTS AT NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH.

	1857.	1858.	1859.
Dry goods	$2,265,491	$1,208,133	$2,656,464
General merchandise	3,299,747	903,344	1,936,720
Total for the week	$5,565,238	2,111,474	4,593,185
Previously reported	34,508,779	13,622,070	31,339,745
Since Jan. 1	$40,014,017	15,733,584	35,932,929

EXPORTS EXCLUSIVE OF SPECIE.

Total for the week	$1,619,368	914,767	713,084
Previously reported	6,990,532	7,714,94	5,778,410
Totals	$8,609,900	8,629,651	6,491,494

So we have bought since Jan. 1st, foreign merchandise to the amount of $35,932,929, and have paid thereon, in exports of breadstuffs, cotton and tobacco, $6,491,484! This is an extraordinary showing for the port of New York alone. How with such a manifest drain upon the specie resources of the country can we hope for restoration of confidence and business? We submit the problem to the consideration of such of our readers as maintain that the commercial policy of the country is well enough and should be let alone.

☞ Not a single huzza cheered the entry into Paris of the Prince Napoleon and his bride. But one voice was heard—that of a gamin, who bawled out, "How warming this is for a Princess who comes from a hot country!" The cavalcade was composed of six two-horse carriages, escorted by Cuirassiers of the Guard.

Our Newgate Calendar.

Murder cannot be considered in this latitude one of the fine arts. The events of the past month in our criminal annals, as well as former evidences of the decision of public sentiment upon this point, show that it is known to the community and the jurisprudence of Chicago exactly as it is designated by Holy Writ and the judgment of the human race; to wit, the direst crime of which man is capable, and in its nature so outrageous that society cannot tolerate the existence of him who commits it. Our sympathies naturally go out to the prisoner resting under the heavy condemnation of the law, for however barbarous and revolting the deed which has brought him under sentence, the dull agony of him who counts the minutes which separate him from certain doom, appeals to the liveliest emotions of our nature. But order is Heaven's first law, and it is essential to the security of the peaceable million that the individual assassin be put out of the reach of victims.

We have thus far foreborne comment on the unhappy prisoners who have occupied so large a space in the public eye, nor would we now add a word to bear with a severer force upon them than the solemn judgment of the Bench which has fixed for each a day certain as the limit of their lives. In the case of Jumpertz, there is a considerable opinion prevalent, not that he is not chargeable with the death of Sophie Werner, but that he has been convicted on insufficient evidence. It is true the crime was not fixed upon him by the direct testimony of eye-witnesses, but this fact gives it no peculiarity, nor does it distinguish it from hundreds of just convictions which are fresh in the public mind. The first step of the deliberate murderer is to bar all direct testimony, to sequester himself and his deed as far as possible from the reach of human eyes and ears. The killing that results from the heat of passion is done in the presence of whomsoever may chance to see or hear; the cool, premeditated assassination is performed at midnight by such means as shall awake no cry and leave no trace of the victim. The testimony in the famous Webster trial was not so direct and conclusive as that which sends Jumpertz to a murderer's doom. The confession of the prisoner, unless it be taken for whole truth, and he acquitted upon it at once, must go for nothing. It must be excluded from every opinion formed upon the case. It has no place whatever in the minds of judge or jury. The carefully mangled body of the missing woman is found in a distant city and traced to Jumpertz. The recent whereabouts of the living woman are then discovered and undeniably traced to Jumpertz. The two chains of evidence meet mathematically at his door. Nothing which carries probability to any mind is adduced to support the theory of self destruction. On the contrary the evidence is strong to show that she contemplated living at least beyond the period of an approaching confinement. How then was she suddenly and strangely deprived of life? Why were her remains disposed of by the formulas of the slaughter-house? Why was the only portion of her body which could have told of poison carefully removed, and so well secreted that the person who disposed of it cannot tell what he did with it? These are questions which admit of but one answer; to wit, that Henri Jumpertz deliberately took the life of Sophie Werner. If human tribunals must pause at each failure of direct ocular testimony, no murderer need ever be convicted.

The case of McNamee, in these particulars, is not unlike that of Jumpertz. The body of his wife was found in her bed, beaten almost out of human semblance. McNamee was the first to know anything about it. He alone could give any history of the bloody transaction. The remains were mutilated in a way, and placed in a position, to give color to a falsehood which he was prepared to tell. Yet so irresistable was the evidence of his guilt, that his counsel felt constrained to place his defence on a wholly different theory—maudlin insanity. This was as irreconcilable with the facts as the other; and he too, meets a murderer's end because there is blood upon his hands which he can give no account of. May it be long before we have another calendar like that which has so lately shocked the community, and which is coming to so speedy and solemn a conclusion.

The Two Political Creeds.

"Land for the landless," "Niggers for the niggerless" will hereafter be the cries of the Republican and Democratic parties—cries emphasised by the Republican vote for and Mr. Buchanan's veto of, the Homestead bill; and by the Democratic support of, and Republican opposition to, the thirty millions, Cuba-stealing, nigger-driving swindle. The Republicans of the West will be content to accept the issue which the Democracy have forced upon them; and will thank the present Congress for placing the principles of the two parties so plainly before the people.

No Place for Brigadier General George Wallace Jones.

The Washington *Union* of the 26th ult., contains an Iowa letter, undoubtedly written in the *Union* office, passing an elaborate eulogy on Brigadier General George Wallace Jones, Senator in Congress from the State of Iowa, but ending with a most sinister suggestion about the warrior's future prospects. What can be more appalling to the great Dubuque dancing master than the "clustering honors gathering around his *quiet home?*" The *Union* devotes much space to relating what Brigadier General Jones is *not*. It says he is not "a high sounding orator" and that he is not "a great writer," but it declares with a most Borgian grimace that in his quiet home, on his paternal acres, he will enjoy the grateful consolation that he "has held office only to discharge its duties."

Hear the *Union:*

The State of Iowa will, at the expiration of the present session of Congress, recall from her service in the United States Senate one of the most laborious, faithful, and efficient public servants that have ever represented any people in any government—Gen. George W. Jones.

General Jones is *not a high-sounding orator*. He has made but few speeches in the Senate, and never has he spoken unless impelled by a political necessity; but his speeches have been always terse, able, and appropriate. No man better than he understands the true purposes of language, the exact import of words, and the happiest modes of expression, either in public speech or in private conversation.

General Jones *is not a great writer;* he has never burdening the shelves of the bookseller with unsold political trash; he has never hired himself out by the night as a star lecturer. He *makes no pretensions* to that extraordinary power which entrances the galleries. He is as unobtrusive upon the attention of the Senate as honest Nathaniel Macon.

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Rich in the gratitude of a free people, *he will retire with clustering honors gathering around his quiet home*, and there enjoy the grateful consolation that he has held office only to discharge its duties; and that not he, but his constituents, suffer in the change.

Another Ship Canal Proposed.

The commercial men of Great Britain are much interested in a proposition to cut a ship canal across the Malayan isthmus in India, so as to make shorter and safer the voyage to China. The canal would have to be cut only twelve miles to unite the bays of Bengal and Siam, and save a voyage of 1,175 miles through the straits of Malacca, and along a perilous coast. The completion of this canal and that across the Isthmus of Suez will place England within about the same sailing distance of China, that New York will be by the way of the Nicaragua ship canal. All these great enterprises are likely to be at some time completed, and their effect in the extension of commerce with the nations of Asia and the promotion of civilization can hardly be over estimated.

Outrages on a Southern Railroad.

[From the Augusta Constitutionalist, Feb. 22.]

On Saturday night, about half-past eight, as the express train was passing from Branchville to Augusta, on the South Carolina Railroad, and when about forty miles from this city, a pistol ball was fired by some one from the road, passing close by the face of Mr. Massett, who was awakened by the report, and who, had he not been leaning back in the car, would have been instantly killed. Mr. I. W. Rice, of Baltimore, was struck by a piece of stick that was at the same time hurled through the window. To show that the plan was premeditated, on the night previous (Friday), in or very near the same spot, a loud report of a gun or pistol startled the occupants of the crowded car, the ball entering the window, shattering the glass and creating the greatest consternation, and very nearly killing Mr. John K. Sears, of Baltimore. It is thought that the dastardly perpetrators of this high handed outrage are some discharged employes of the road, seeking their revenge in this cowardly and ruffianly manner.

☞ S. S. Taylor has been re-elected Mayor of Cairo, by about ninety majority over John Howland.

The Farm and Garden.

Osage Orange for Hedging—Wire Fences—Protection of Fence Posts—A new Humbug.

STERLING, Ill., February 15, 1859.

MY DEAR RURAL—My object in addressing you, is to have a talk on Fences.

As to the Osage Orange, to my mind it is not yet clear that it will meet the great wants of the farmer. In justice to it, so far as I know, it is rapidly coming more and more in public favor. But the question arises, will a plant so far removed from its native locality, be permanent in this? Can so rapid a grower endure for a series of years, those annual cuttings which it undoubtedly requires? Is it proof against mice, &c.?

Suffer me to say to you, that after many years of observation, my opinion is in favor of wire rather than the Osage Orange as a sure, cheap and permanent fence.

I have as yet never used either, but intend to this coming spring. I would wish to prejudice no one against the Osage Orange as a hedge plant, but not as yet being satisfied to invest much capital in the experiment (for I can look upon it in no other light.) I make these inquiries:

In making wire fence, what sized wire, or rather what sizes? How many would you use? What is the difference between charcoal and bridge wire? and where can wire be procured to the best advantage?

What reliable experience can you give as regards the charring of fence posts? If it adds to their durability, how much?

My convictions are, that wire must become the great fencing material of these prairies. I am aware, however, that a question of such vital interest requires more experience and further trial to enable us to decide understandingly. Give me your views.

Respectfully, L. S. P.

To answer all of the above enquiries fully, would require more time than we can devote to them. We will, therefore, give them a brief notice. Osage orange on dry rolling prairie will make a good fence; should be planted in a single line, six inches apart, two years old plants; let it grow up without cutting until high enough for a fence.

As we require protection on the prairie, not only for orchards and house grounds, but for our stock and field crops, we can see no objection to letting the hedge take its upward growth, the plants will be sufficiently close at the base to make a fence, and will also dwarf the tree. Lower prairie, in the North part of the State, is not suited to this plant, as in such locations we have seen old hedge completely killed by frost.

Removing a tree North, out of its natural climate, has a tendency to dwarf it; and this is the case with the Osage. At the South it will not make a good hedge from its larger growth. We would not plant a hedge simply for a fence, as we prefer boards and posts or a wire fence, but when, to a fence, protection from winds or fruit trespassers is wanted, the Osage is our favorite. We are putting in Osage hedges wherever we intend to have a belt of timber. In this case we do not intend to trim it, but plant close and let it take care of itself, except giving it good culture for three or four years. We have never known mice to injure the Osage.

WIRE FENCE.

This should be made with No. 9 unrolled wire, fine wire will turn cattle, horses and sheep. Posts two feet apart, unless made on the plan of Burk's patent. The wire must be so fastened with a lever that it will give to a sudden pressure or swell and contract with changes of transportation. Wire fences add nothing to the beauty of a farm, unless put upon live posts (trees.) Belts of timber we must have and these will furnish the posts, when if the wire is well oiled, it will last a long time. We are tired of seeing long lines of farm on the open prairie, give us something living if for no other reason than to cover up the fence from sight. When this is done either wire or osage will answer a good purpose, but when our fence is to be seen give us pine boards and burr oak posts.

PROTECTING POSTS.

This is done by charring, by the use of salt and by setting top end down. Posts that are set with top end down eighteen years since remain sound. We have great faith in salt, as a preservation. Posts rot off near the ground. After the post is set, bore a hole into the post and nearly through, slanting somewhat downwards, into this hole put common salt but do not plug it up, it will need renewing after a few years. Burr oak posts, set top down will, if of young thrifty timber last probably fifty years. They should be sharpened and dried, not set with a spade; in driving the earth is packed close ground them, and besides this the frame will stand better. Most of the hardware dealers in Chicago can furnish good frame wire, at as cheap a rate as it can be had East. Large quantities of it have been put up the past year, in various parts of the State, and when fine No. 9 wires have been used so far as we hear with general satisfaction.

We would caution the readers of the PRESS AND TRIBUNE against being humbugged with the willow frame (*salix purpura.*) This willow will grow well in wet (not swampy) land, but is unsuited to dry rolling prairie, it makes a pretty frame on paper. Last year this paper frame had the faculty of growing a live man in the tree to which the gate was hung; this year it will not grow the man and is a plain, well behaved willow. Next season it may bear a crop of dogs, or perhaps monkeys. RURAL.

Seed Oats from Canada—Canada Thistles—Foul Seeds in Rye and Grass Seed of Eastern Growth—Cleaning Seeds—Canada Oats Desirable—Value of Varieties.

On account of the inferior quality of our seed oats, large quantities are being brought from Canada to supply the demand. To this the cry of beware of Canada thistles, is being raised in several quarters. That there is danger of importing this pernicious pest we can easily concede, but as oats will come from Canada at all events, we can but be careful how we use this seed in its rough state. In cleaning oats, it is too often the practice to use a board instead of a screen in the bottom of the fanning mill, and hence all fine seeds too heavy to be blown out go down with the oats. To ensure safety in this respect all the purchaser of Canada oats has to do is to run them through a fanning mill using a screen, through which the fine seeds such as Charlack and Canada thistle will pass. In our first attempt at farming we purchased forty bushels of seed oats, not screened, and the result was a firm sprinkling of Charlack (wild mustard), wild buckwheat and Cockle, which were not so easily got rid of. Look at the oats in the Chicago warehouses, and you will find them full of foul seed. Suppose our Canadian neighbors should be in want of seed oats and purchase these would they not have occasion to complain of our want of good husbandry? We think they would. But farmers should be careful about Eastern seed, for slovenly farmers are not confined to the prairies. At one time we wanted some Long Island rye, and a friend purchased and sent us a barrel, we commenced sowing it as it came, but before sowing half a bushel found it full of foul seed, and when we run the remainder through a fanning mill, the result was that in the part sown in its rough state we had a good show of white daisies, charlack, sorrell, yellow dock and winter cockle, while the portion cleaned was free of these weeds. That half bushel of rye cost us no inconsiderable amount of labor, and the white daisies are still on hand. In another instance we purchased grass seed from Rochester, which produced us a supply of yellow dock, charlack and sorrell. But in no instance have we found Canada thistles in the seed. Thistle seed is very light, and probably most of it is blown out in the cleaning process.

We cannot too strongly urge our farmers to sow clean seed, whether of home or foreign growth. A change of seed is desirable, and these oats from Canada, if properly cleaned, will prove valuable. The black Tartarian Oat is the best adapted to our soil and climate, which fact we again repeat, but we know of no one who grows them pure, as most of our oats are mixed. The barley oat does not give as good satisfaction here as in Canada, and we would advise our farmers to let this variety alone.

We again repeat that oats should be sown early and on fall plowed land. This grain does well to follow a crop of spring wheat, but on corn stuble is liable to grow too rank and large. RURAL.

The Tariff Question.

[From the N. Y. Tribune, 28th inst.]

The House of Representatives, on Saturday, by the decisive majority of 128 to 88, voted to allow the introduction of a bill revising and increasing the Tariff. Two-thirds being required, leave was not granted. Sectionally, the vote stood:

	Yeas.	Nays.
Free States	111	22
Slave States	17	66

This is a most remarkable division. The President declares that the Government cannot be carried on without more revenue, and that this can only be obtained through an increase of the Tariff. In accordance with this official requisition, which is formally backed by the Secretary of the Treasury, the Administration leader in the House (where only can a Revenue bill originate) asks leave to introduce one; and that leave is refused—seventy seven of the eighty-eight votes to refuse being given by professed supporters of the Administration, and all but six of the 88 (Messrs. Comins, Eustis, Hill, Mott, Nichols, Spinner and Vance) having been elected as its supporters.

What are we to understand by this? Admit that the votes from the cotton region are to be accounted for by an anti-tariff fanaticism, how is it that we find Messrs. James B. Clay, John Cochrane, English, Faulkner, Letcher, Stephens, Vallandigham, etc., etc., voting in effect to stop the wheels of the Government? These men are generally found voting appropriations on the most liberal scale—fifteen to twenty millions each to the Army and Navy, for Fortifications, for Diplomacy, etc., etc. They vote to spend seventy millions a year, and stand ready to vote thirty millions more as a mere flea-bite toward the acquisition of Cuba but when the President sends in his little bill, intimating that it will do him no good to give him leave to take ever so much out of the treasury provided it isn't there, they draw back as if stung. Call you this backing your friends?

Of the 128 votes which support the motion of the Administration leader, barely thirty-one—less than a quarter of the whole number—were cast by professed friends of the Administration. Thirty one only of the members elected to support Mr. Buchanan evince a willingness to give him the means which he declares essential to the support of his Government! In any other country than ours, an Executive so deserted would feel himself constrained to resign. Here he has an organ which prints column after column intended to show that the more completely he is deserted, the more creditable and glorious is his Administration. At this rate, his exit from the White House must be little less than an apotheosis.

—The House, by forty majority, has decided that the Revenue must be increased; the minority, comprising the bulk of the dominant party, say "No; let us borrow millions after millions, and throw the burden of paying them on the next Administration."

A DREADFUL TRAGEDY.

The Homicide at Washington.

Sad Story of Domestic Ruin and Bloody Revenge.

[Special Dispatch to the N. Y. Times.]

WASHINGTON, Sunday, Feb. 27, 1859.

The vulgar monotony of partisan passions and political squabbles has been terribly broken in upon to day by an outburst of personal revenge, which has filled the city with horror and consternation—I cannot unfortunately add, with absolute surprise.

At 2½ o'clock to-day, Mr. Philip Barton Key, the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, was talking with Mr. Betterworth, of New York, at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Sixteenth street, near the south entrance to the Executive Mansion, and some twenty yards from the Club House on President's Square, when he was accosted by the Hon. D. E. Sickles, of New York. Mr. Sickles charged Mr. Key with destroying the honor of his wife and his own happiness, and, drawing a revolver, instantly shot him down. One ball, entering in at the left side, passed completely through the body of Mr. Key; a second was lodged in his thigh, and a third, glancing, inflicted a slight bruise. Mr. Key fell, imploring Mr. Sickles not to kill him, and died in a very few minutes.

For months past the social world of Washington, always as quick to relish the details of private scandal as it is lax in its judgments of those by whom such scandal may be caused, has been busy with the names of Mrs. Sickles and Mr. Key. Their intimacy was of that marked and peculiar kind which may perfectly well consist in the innocence of any absolute guilt—since while it was open to public observation, it was hardly concealed from Mr. Sickles himself, who having married his wife, Miss Bagioli, of New York, in her early youth, had always treated her with extreme kindness and tenderness, and doubtless looked upon her relations with Mr. Key as the mere expression of a girlish love of admiration, and of a vanity delighting in the sense of power over a man of fine presence, graceful address, and a certain local renown in the District for high spirit, resolution and gallantry.

During the whole of the last session of Congress the tall figure of Mr. Key was constantly to be seen in President's Square, opposite Mr. Sickles' Washington residence; and Mrs. Sickles was as constantly in his company at all places of public entertainment. In the interval of the Congressional recess, Mr. Key made a short visit to New York, still without exciting any absolute suspicion of positive impropriety in the mind of Mr. Sickles; although other friends of the unhappy lady, and among them her mother, repeatedly warned her of the fatal precipice on the brink of which she was permitting herself to trifle. It was hoped that the affair would come to an end of itself, and that one or both of the parties most nearly implicated, would perceive the real drift of their conduct in time to avoid its almost inevitable consequences.

But on the reassembling of Congress, and the return of Mrs. Sickles to Washington, Mr. Key's attentions, and the scandal consequent upon them, were revived with greater ardor than before. Mr. Key was a particularly noticeable man in point of personal appearance; tall, well-formed, a much more athletic man than Mr. Sickles, and especially fond of exercise on horseback. He rode an iron-gray horse; and scarcely a day has passed since the return of Mr. Sickles to the capital, on which his tall figure, his white riding-cap, well trimmed moustache, and iron-gray horse might not have been seen two or three times in the course of the morning on the circuit of President's Square, or at the door of Mr. Sickles' house, which stands quite alone on the north side of the square, and is a very conspicuous building of white stucco. It was but on Tuesday last, (so swift and fearful a dream does the whole story seem), that, on visiting Mrs. Sickles, Tuesday being her day of reception, I found Mr. Key there, his horse waiting for him at the door. The rooms were filled with a pleasant company; the soft Spring sunlight poured in at the open windows; and Mrs. Sickles herself, in all her almost girlish beauty, wearing a boquet of *crocuses*, the firstlings of the year, seemed the very incarnation of Spring and youth, and the beautiful promise of life. What is the twilight; what the house that then was the synonym of hospitality, the most frank, and generous and easy!

In the early part of the week before last, Mr. Sickles went on to New York. During his absence the busy spies of society observed that the attendance of Mr. Key at his house was even more unremitting than usual. Mr. Sickles returned to Washington on the morning of the day of the Napier ball, and from that time up to Friday last nothing occurred to make the matter of his wife's relations with Mr. Key more than ordinarily prominent in his mind. So far was he from manifesting anything like inordinate or tyrannical suspicion, that he allowed Mr. Key to escort Mrs. Sickles as usual on Pennsylvania avenue, and I saw them, in company with Mr. Henry Wikoff, at the theatre on Wednesday night. On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Sickles entertained a large party at dinner. Over that gay and brilliant company how near and fearful a doom impended!

On the next day (the day before yesterday) Mr. Sickles received from some enemy of mankind an anonymous letter, stating with precision so minute as to make suspicion imperative, that Mr. Key had rented a house on Fifteenth street, above K street, from a negro woman, and that he was in the habit of meeting Mrs. Sickles there two or three times a week, or oftener. The person and dress of Mrs. Sickles were accurately described, and the usual time of the interview specified. Accompanied by a friend, Mr. Sickles went to the house designated and found every statement of the anonymous writer corroborated. Mr. Key had taken the house; and he had constantly met there a lady answering very closely in description to Mrs. Sickles.

Mr. Sickles still clung to the hope that the person who had stooped to the baseness of making such charges under the veil of secrecy, might have thoroughly deceived him, and that Mrs. Sickles was not the lady in question. He accordingly requested his friend, Mr. George Wooldridge, of New York, to watch the place from the window of a house just opposite.

On Saturday, no meeting took place, and the woman in charge seems to have stated that none had occurred since Wednesday.

On Saturday evening, Mr. Sickles, resolved no longer to play the spy upon his honor, determined to confront his wife directly with his terrible suspicions. At first Mrs. Sickles strongly denied her guilt; but on her husband's asking her whether, on the Wednesday previous, she had not entered the house on Fifteenth street, in a certain particular dress, and concealed by a hood, she cried out, "*I am betrayed and lost!*" and swooned away. On recovering her senses, she admitted her guilt, and besought mercy and pardon. Mr. Sickles calmly said he would not injure her, since he believed her the victim of a scoundrel, but that he had a right to a full confession. Two ladies in the house were sent for as witnesses, and in their presence, Mrs. Sickles made a full confession in writing, stating that her connection with Mr. Key had commenced in April last, under Mr. Sickles' roof, but that Mr. Key had since hired the house in Fifteenth street, in which they had constantly met. Mrs. Sickles' confession was made in the midst of the bitterest contrition and misery. Her husband simply asked her to give him back her wedding ring, and desired her to write to her mother to come and take her from his house forever. Mrs. Sickles made no objections, admitting the justice of her punishment in the most affecting language. Her mother will arrive to morrow to remove her from this fearful scene of guilt, remorse, and blood.

Once having quitted the presence of his wife, Mr. Sickles gave way to the most terrible emotion, and passed the night in a state bordering on distraction—a feeling which was worked into madness this morning on seeing the cause of his misery, Mr. Key, with gay audacity pass opposite the window of his wife's room and wave his handkerchief—the usual signal for assignation.

Asking Mr. Butterworth, who was at his house, to follow Key and engage him in conversation so that he would not get out of sight, he rushed up stairs for his pistols, and quickly followed, found Butterworth and Key together, at the corner of Sixteenth street, where the tragedy took place.

On coming up Sickles walked directly to Key, and said, "You have dishonored my bed and family, you scoundrel—prepare to die!"—at the same time drawing his pistol. Almost simultaneously Key placed his hand inside his vest, and drawing what appeared to be a pistol, but what was in reality an opera glass, said, "You had better not shoot!"

Sickles at once fired, Key at the same time throwing his glass at him. This shot only grazed Key, slightly raising the skin of his side, and he immediately leaped behind a tree to avoid another shot. Sickles followed, and Key, catching his arm, endeavored to prevent him from firing, but Sickles disengaged himself, and firing again, shot Key in the upper part of the thigh, close to the main artery.

Falling on his hip, and supporting himself on his hand, he cried, "Murder! don't shoot!" Sickles, still following, fired again, with his pistol close to Key, the ball passing through his body below the breast.

In the meantime, the report of the pistol and Key's cries startled those in the neighborhood. Mr. Thomas Martin, a Clerk in the Treasury Department, who happened at the moment to be leaving the Club, rushed back, and calling out, "Key is murdered!" Mr. Doyle, Mr. Upshur and Mr. Tidball, who were in the Club at the time, proceeded hastily to the spot, when they found Sickles standing over the body of Key, with his pistol presented at his head, and which he tried twice to discharge, but which snapped both times—and Mr. Butterworth standing by composedly.

On Mr. Doyle's touching Sickles on the shoulder, the latter at once desisted, and turning around, said, "Gentlemen, this man has dishonored my bed!" Upon this he took Butterworth's arm, and walking from the spot with the most perfect self-possession, proceeded to Attorney General Black's, and delivered himself into custody.

On Mr. Sickles' leaving, Messrs. Doyle, Tisball, Upshur and Martin conveyed the body, which still held faint gasps of breathing, to the parlor of the Club house, when the Assistant Surgeon General was at once in attendance, but Key was beyond all medical skill. He breathed but twice after being laid upon the floor.

When Martin and Upshur raised Key from the ground, the former inquired if he had anything to say. Key made no reply, and was evidently unconscious.

In a few minutes the news spread over the city, and the streets were thronged with visitors to the scene of the terrible event, and groups were everywhere noticed engaged in excited discussion about it. The Club House was speedily surrounded by an immense crowd, eager to view the body of the ill-fated Key. Many of the leading gentlemen of Washington drove up in their carriages, and in about a quarter of an hour the brother-in-law of the deceased, the Hon. Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio, arrived.

At about three the Coroner's inquest was held in the parlor, where the body lay, when sufficient facts were elicited to show that deceased was killed by Daniel E. Sickles, and a verdict was rendered accordingly.

While I write, the body of Key is being removed to his late residence on C street, nearly opposite Col. Benton's house.

The parties involved in this sad story all lived within the immediate circle of our daily Washington life; two, at least, of them being also as well known in New York as in the Federal Metropolis. Key was about forty-two years of age, tall in stature, about six feet, with an easy and fashionable air, by no means prepossessing in appearance otherwise. His face had a sickly hue, and he had been for some time suffering from heart-disease, or imagined he was, which gave him a soured and discontented look. Otherwise he was extremely popular, and those who knew him best said his eccentricities of manner covered a very kind and generous heart. His father, Francis S. Key, was the author of the national song, the "Star Spangled Banner." He was a widower with four children. On his marriage is narrowly escaped a duel with Colonel May, who conceived that he had unfairly ousted him from the affections of the lady who became his wife, and who was a beautiful and charming woman.

Mr. Sickles, the member for the Third District of New York, is a native of this city, and was originally a printer by occupation. He is a man of nearly forty years of age; of good presence and graceful manners. As a member of the State Senate, as well as in the House of Representatives, he had made himself remarked by a quite unusual coolness and self-possession, which gave him great advantages in debate, and had acquired for him a well-deserved reputation as a rising young leader of the Democratic Party. In 1853, Mr. Sickles was married to his wife, now ruined and heart-broken, then a young girl fresh from her school life, and remarkable then as now for something especially soft, lovely and youthful in the type of her very peculiar beauty. She is of Italian origin, and possesses all the Italian lustre and depth of eye, united with a singular candor and delicacy of feature.

Mr. Sickles had seen her grow up from childhood, and was attached to her with an almost idolatrous affection. Shortly after their marriage, Mr. Sickles was appointed Secretary of the American Legation at London, in the household of Mr. Buchanan, and his beautiful bride won universal admiration abroad, not more by her charms of person and manner than by the gayety and innocent joyousness of her character. On their return to America they resided for some time on the Bloomingdale Road, in a charming house overlooking the Hudson River; and, on his election to Congress, Mr. Sickles took his present house on President's-square. It faces directly the Club house, to which was brought to-day the corpse of the man who himself had slain all that made the life of that mansion, but a few days since so gay among the gayest, and so hospitable among the most hospitable, of the homes of Washington.

Mrs. Sickles may be twenty-two, and has two children. She is the daughter of Bagioli, the celebrated music-teacher, of Fourteenth street. Amid the general gloom which this sad affair has cast over the city, many a sorrowing thought is cast towards her whose guilty surrender to the wiles of a villain has resulted so tragically, for she has been much liked, and those who have known her will grieve sorely at the necessity of giving her up as lost. Few women are better calculated to win their way in polite society, or to contribute more to its vivacity.

Popular sympathy, as usual in such cases, is almost unanimously with Mr. Sickles, the provocation being deemed ample justification for the deed, and when the facts as yet unknown come to be developed, this feeling will grow still stronger, and read a fearful lesson to those who may attempt to invade the honor and happiness of another's home.

A few of Key's personal friends profess to disbelieve his conduct to have been actually criminal, and maintain that it was the result merely of inordinate personal vanity which led him to seek the appearance of being a favorite with the lady in question. Their theory is utterly dissipated by the confession of the now heart broken victim.

When Mr. Sickles surrendered himself to Attorney General Black he requested such disposition to be made of him as was proper. The Attorney General sent for a magistrate, who, with the Chief of Police, came speedily. Soon after the Mayor arrived, announcing the death of Key, and Sickles was conducted in a carriage to the jail, where he now is, awaiting an examination. I called upon him this evening and found him surrounded by several colleagues and other sympathizing friends. He was evidently laboring under strong mental excitement, and his haggard countenance presented marked evidence of the effects of the fearful emotions which have harrowed his very soul during the last twenty-four hours. Nevertheless, his manner was calm and collected, with his nerves steady. Of course, I did not question him relative to the affair. He volunteered the remark, however, that it was unavoidable, and that he could not have done otherwise. He added: "Satisfied as I was of his guilt, we could not live together upon the same planet."

The Hon. Robert J. Walker and Messrs. Carlisle and Ratcliff have been retained as his counsel. They will bring him before Judge Crawford to-morrow on a writ of *habeas corpus*, and move his discharge upon bail. There is little doubt that it will be allowed, and he be released from custody. The general opinion seems to be that no Grand Jury will ever indict him.

Key left no property. His family connections it is understood are able, and will provide for his children. Some of Key's friends intimate threats of summary vengeance against Sickles if he appears in public where they can reach him. S.

Paraguay in a Complete State of Defense—Lopez and British Officers Defy the United States Squadron.

The steamship Alhambra arrived at Southampton, England, on the 11th inst., with the mails from Brazil and the river Plata.

The Paraguayans had so strongly fortified the river that it was not expected the Americans would succeed in any warlike attempt they might make. It was said that a number of English officers were assisting the Paraguayans. The latter had also thrown every obstacle in the way of the United States squadron ascending the river. Many of the American ships of war, from their draught of water, would be unable to proceed up the river. The American squadron consisted of fifteen ships and gunboats.

[From the Liverpool Times, Feb. 12.]

Accounts from Rio state that the Paraguay River and forts were so well fortified that it was probable the Americans would be defeated.

Vast quantities of rain had fallen at Rio, and the streets were inundated. A portion of the railway had been damaged by the rains. It was feared that yellow fever would shortly make its appearance at Rio from the want of sanitary measures.

When the Avon left Bahia a great fire was raging there. It had extended to the Exchange and other public buildings. It was feared that very extensive damage would be done. Property to the value of $900,0000 had been destroyed.

By the packet bark Antagonist, Capt. Crowell, arrived yesterday, we have advices to Jan. 4. Business generally remained very dull.

The U. S. Commissioner and Commodore Shubrick proceeded up the river to hold an interview with President Lopez on the 1st. They left in the U. S. brigs Dolphin and Perry, who would be taken in tow at the forks of the river by the steamers Fulton and Water Witch. The remainder of the fleet were at Montevideo.

The Paraguay steamer Manuelita had a week previously gone up with a chain, to be placed across the river to prevent all vessels from passing. A French and English steamer had also gone up, and it was supposed the latter would make a demand on Lopez for indemnity, in the case of a British schooner lately seized by him.

It was generally thought by impartial and well-informed persons that the fleet sent out from here is entirely inadequate and inefficient; that, if, in fact, an engagement took place our force would be beaten.

This opinion is arrived at in view of the facts that but four or five of our fleet can ascend the river, owing to the shallow water; and to proceed in boats the necessary distance, in a most unhealthy climate, with the air infected with a deadly malaria, and infested with insects of all annoying kinds, would be destructive to the men; and when arriving at the head of the river, on a sudden turn they come in view of two forts, one of which mounts 101 heavy guns, manned by men well trained by British and French agents, and of undoubted courage, judging by their battles with the Buenos Ayreans.

It is said Lopez has 100,000 men under arms, and well disciplined.

The previous report of the immense strength of the fortifications at the head of the river is not strictly correct, but there is no doubt a formidable resistance will be made.

An Incident Extraordinary.

[From the Marquette Journal, Feb. 9.]

An old residenter here was saying to us, a day or two since, that he had observed an Indian upon the ice, engaged in spearing the lake trout, and added that little could be accomplished so near the shore—that one must go three or four miles out into the bay to be very successful in that vocation. Upon our asking him if the ice (now a week old) was not strong enough for that, he replied that, though it was, it would be hazardous to venture out while the wind was from the southeast—that it would not blow long from that direction before the ice would be broken up and driven out into the lake, and, if people happened to be on it when the wind came round to that quarter, they had to scamper off to avoid the danger of being carried away. He then related the following incident, which took place but a few years since:

A family of Indians started from Light-House Point to cross the bay on the ice from the north to the south shore, having with them their kettles and all their camp equipage for a sugar campaign, the wind blowing from the southeast. They had gotten partly across, when the ice broke loose, and they were driven out into the lake, beyond the reach of mortal help. Days, and weeks, and months passed away, and nothing was heard of them, and of course the natural conclusion was, that they had all perished. But, to the astonishment of the people here, about four months afterwards the whole family made their appearance, like so many risen from the dead. They had been driven entirely across the lake (a hundred miles or more) to the Canada shore, where they landed in safety, the wind, fortunately for them, having continued to blow hard from the same direction for several days. From the point where they landed, they made their way down the lake to the Saut, and up the south shore to their old home at this place, themselves bringing the first news of their fate.

It seemed to us that such a wind would raise a sea which would break the ice in pieces, and bring certain destruction to the passengers upon it, but our informant replied that floating ice in considerable quantities upon the lake always operated to counterbalance the effect of the wind, and keep the surface calm or nearly so.

The Yankee and His Locomotive in Egypt.

On the railroad from Suez to Alexandria recently finished are four locomotives—two English manufacture, the other two built at Taunton, Mass. The Pasha's ears being open to flattery the English engineers, though their Consul use every means to get rid of American engineers. They were told by the railroad company that engines would not be used and their services would not be wanted. The excuse for hauling them off was that they were not strong enough to haul the heavy trains.

One of the American engineers getting an opportunity to speak with the Pasha, told him he would haul as many loaded cars as would reach from one end of the road to the other. Accordingly seventy-five loaded cars (which was all they could muster) were put in a train, the Pasha's own car attached, and the whole were taken through to Suez, a distance of 200 miles, in twelve hours, making stoppages for fuel and water. The Pasha exclaimed in Egyptian, "God is great, but a Yankee is very near perfection!" On his return he discharged the English engine drivers, and now uses the Taunton engines altogether.

Until last autumn the great "overland mail," was conveyed in boxes laden upon camels from Suez to Cairo, eighty miles in twenty hours, and thence by steamer to Alexandria. The camel must clear the track for the Yankee iron horse.

Personal and Political.

The Paris correspondent of the New York *Commercial* says: "Three American deaths have recently occurred in Europe—all young men, members of well-known families, and all three, I believe, of consumption. One was a son of Stephen Van Rensalaer, of Albany; another, a son of Col. John Preston, of Charleston, and a third, a son of Hon. Joseph Ingersoll, of Philadelphia."

—"Jenkins" writes from Washington, that a Mrs. P——, of New York, the wife of a linseed oil manufacturer, wore to the Napier ball, diamonds valued at $100,000, and lace worth $11,000. Her heavy tiara and necklace were wholly composed of diamonds, and her breastplate was of diamond leaves. She stood "knee deep"—Jenkins' elegant expression—in old chenoh lace, an Italian fabric of exceeding delicacy, the secret of the manufacture of which has long been lost. It fell over blue silk from her knees to her feet, and also in graceful folds over her bosom. The lady sat during the whole evening by a window opening from a side room into the dancing halls, in a position where the light could fall favorably upon her opulence. But she did not dare to enter the crowd, for fear that the lace might be injured, or the diamonds ravished from her person.

—Four State elections will take place this spring, viz: New Hampshire, March 8; Connecticut, April 4; Rhode Island, April 6, and Virginia, May 26. In each of these States a Governor is to be chosen, and also members to the next Congress. The results will be looked for with a good deal of interest.

—The London *Athenæum*, in an excellent obituary of Hallam, the historian, remarks as an admirable feature in him, that he was ready to amend errors and repair omissions; that his last additions are annotated and improved with "a most curious and conscientious skill." Hence these additions are the best. "In Hallam," says the *Athenæum*, "we possessed a scholar who loved truth better than fame."

The Bullion Bank in New York.

[From the New York Times.]

The articles of Association for "the Bullion Bank in New York," have been signed by the following gentlemen, who, with four others hereafter to be added—making in all about twenty-one managers—will constitute the full Board of Directors: Messrs. George Opdyke, merchant, and at present a member of the New York State Assembly; James Boorman, the senior member of the house of Boorman, Johnston & Co., now a retired merchant; Matthew Morgan and Morris Ketchum, private bankers; John J. Cisco, Sub-Treasurer of the United States at New York; John A. Dix, late United States Senator, and now President of the Mississippi and Missouri Railroad Company; Francis Cottenoy, James Benkard and Sydney Mason, merchants; Thomas W. Ludlow, Benjamin H. Field, Israel Corse, Francis Barritt, John D. Van Buren and Edward Jones, retired merchants; Christopher R. Robert, of Robert & Williams, and President of the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad Company; and John T. Johnston, of Boorman Johnston & Co., and President of the New Jersey Central Railroad Company.

These wealthy and responsible parties have each subscribed $10,000 to the capital of the Association, which is placed at one million dollars, with the provision for future increase not to exceed ten millions. They find our Free Banking Law not only open, but entirely equal to the objects of the Association and to the fair experiment of the novel principle of banking by excluding the active employment of their Deposits, which are to be wholly in Bullion, and resting their profits beyond the use of their own capital, its taxes and the expenses of management upon a charge to be made for the safe-keeping of the Deposits. To this system, free of all dealings in Exchange, and of loans to the Directors, Officers and Agents of the Bank, the Associations are committed by the second fundamental article. Provision is made for liquidating the concern at the instance of two-thirds of the shareholders, and also for accepting a special Act of Incorporation, all the prohibitions of the second article being kept in full force.

Horrible Massacre of a Missionary Family.

The Rev. Mr. Kilfman, a Methodist Missionary who has been preaching to the Indians of Oregon since 1838, was murdered with his family not long since, under singular and appalling circumstances. The small-pox having broken out among the savages, while the missionary's family were not attacked, the former thought that the pestilence had been introduced by the whites with the intention of exterminating the red race. Acting upon this horrible suspicion, their next step was revenge. A bold chief was selected for the deed, who stole into the chamber of the sleeping family, and buried his tomahawk in the brain of the missionary and that of his wife, and then other Indians rushed in, and helpless children, male and female employees, are butchered, the house razed to the ground, fences destroyed and every vestige of a once happy home disappeared. The facts of the case have been laid before the Senate in a communication from the War Department.

Douglas County.

We find in the Charleston *Ledger* the following given as the boundaries of the new County of Douglas, established by the late Legislature, subject to the vote of the people of Coles Co.:

"Commencing at the northeast corner of Coles County, thence west on the county line dividing Coles and Champaign, to the north-west corner of Coles, thence south on the west line of Coles, to the south-west corner of section 18, township 14 north, range 7 east, thence east on the session line to the south-west corner section 14, township 14, range 10 east, thence north to the north-west corner of section 11, township 14, north range 10 east, thence east on the section line dividing sections 2 and 11, 1 and 12, &c., to the east line of Coles County, thence north on said county line to the place of beginning."

A Shocking Slave Tragedy.

The most shocking tragedy we have ever yet been called upon to record, took place on Tuesday night last, a few miles north of this place, at the residence of Mr. James F. Humphreys. A negro woman, belonging to Mr. Humphreys, took her two children, a boy about five and a girl about three years of age, to an old well some three or four yards from the house, where they were found the next morning drowned. Marks of fingers and toes on the side of the well down to the water would indicate that she also went down, whether to drown herself, and afterwards changed her mind, or to effectually put an end to her children, is not known, but it is thought probably the latter. She then went back to her own house, piled all the things in the middle of the floor, set fire to them, and ran away, and up to the present time no trace of her has been found.—*Madison (Fla.) Messenger, 5th ult.*

☞ Mr. Jefferson never franked letters for any members of his family, and correspondents frequently enclosed in those directed to him, letters for some of his family, but Mr. Jefferson invariably gave notice of the fact to the Postmaster and had the postage of all such letters charged to him. It is very clear that Mr. Jefferson, with such ridiculous habits of honesty, would never do for a public man in these times. We had thought he might be tolerated as a Republican, if alive now—but even so virtuous a party as that could not recognise a man so excessively conscientious as this. It is well he lived and died in another age—he was altogether too slow for this.

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For the Destruction of

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THE CHEMICAL PREPARATIONS known under the above title for the last 28 years throughout Europe, where they have met with a triumphant success, have acquired for their Inventor and Manufacturer a world-wide celebrity, attested by the Emperors of Russia, France, Austria, the Queen of England, the Kings of Belgium, Holland, Naples, Bavaria, Saxony, &c.; and in America their efficiency has been endorsed by the Directors of Public Institutions and the approval of numerous private citizens, that they are the only remedies in the world sure to exterminate all kinds of vermin.

Meyer's Miraculous Preparations destroy the unwelcome intruders without mercy, and never fail. His art has brought death to millions of them in the world, and from this day the watch-word of all housekeepers, merchants, ship-owners, and husbandmen will be "No more vermin."

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All of which we can recommend as perfectly pure and fresh. HALSEY & KING,
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This new article, so extensively in use, excels all other metalic substances for Roofing, being more durable, cheaper, fire and water proof, and lasting as long as the building. It also reduces the rates of Insurance 10 per cent.

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LEATHER AND HIDE STORE,
BLACKBURN BROS.,
201 and 203 South Water Street,
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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED IN BOND through the CHICAGO CUSTOM HOUSE, our first invoice for the year, of

FRENCH KIP and CALF SKINS, AND BOOT FRONTS CRIMPED,

For the Spring Trade,

DIRECT FROM THE PAR'S MANUFACTURERS.

Boot Makers and Leather Dealers will find the Stock to be very Superior and Prices Low. We have in Stock and coming forward a large assortment of SOLE LEATHER OF THE BEST TANNAGES, OAK and HEMLOCK UPPER KIP and CALF, LININGS, LASTS and FINDINGS, Which will be sold at the *lowest market prices* by

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At their LEATHER AND HIDE STORE, 201 & 203 South Water street, (east of Wells street bridge,) Chicago.

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FIRST CLASS CALF AND KIP SKINS
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JAMES KELLY & CO.,
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To be found in the West. Also, a large stock of superior LEATHER and INDIA RUBBER BELTING.

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Corner of Wabash avenue, (up stairs) over Tuttle, Hibbard & Co., Chicago.

The subscriber having been engaged in the retail Boot and Shoe trade for a number of years in other cities, also having been the Proprietor of the Philadelphia Boot and Shoe Store, at 54 South Clark street, in this city, for three years past; being thereby fully conversant with the wants of the Retailer, and enter into the wholesale Trade with the disposition to consult the interests of all dealers who may favor him with their patronage. He is receiving his spring stock of first-class work work which is offered to the trade at low prices for cash.

The city and country dealers will please call.
GEO. E. CONGDON, 32 Lake-st.
Cor. Wabash avenue, over Tuttle, Hibbard & Co's.
fe25 c817 3m

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE P., FT. W. & C. R. R. CO.,
Pittsburgh, Feb. 25, 1859.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders in the "Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company" will be held at the rooms of the BOARD OF TRADE, in the city of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 29th day of March next, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which time the Report of the Directors for the year 1858, will be presented.

The election for fifteen Directors to serve the ensuing year, will be held at the same place on WEDNESDAY, the 30th proximo at 10 o'clock A. M.

The transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to 30th of March, both inclusive; and the holders of stock in the Ohio and Pennsylvania Ohio and Indiana, or Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Companies, which has not been converted into the stock of the new company at that time, will not be entitled to vote at said election.

Stockholders presenting their certificates of stock in this company to any Ticket Agent on the line of the Road, will be sold an Excursion ticket from that Station to Pittsburgh and return for one fare the round trip, good from March 28th to April 2d, both inclusive.

By order of the President.
fe28-1w-c335 AUGUSTUS BRADLEY, Sec'y.

A New Lot
—OF—
SPANGLED FANS!
Just Received
AT PEUGEOT'S,
CHICAGO VARIETY STORE,
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CHICAGO, ILL.

M. LEWIS BEGS TO ANNOUNCE TO his friends and the public that he has purchased the whole remaining interest of the retired partners of the late firm of M. Lewis & Co. The stock consists mainly of large EVERGREEN AND SHADE TREES, SHRUBS, &C., and will be sold as they were bought, very low.

20,000 American Arbor Vitæ, "fine for Screens and Hedges" from one to three feet high, Nursery Trees, Asparagus Roots, Rhubarb, &c., &c.

Parties desirous of purchasing are requested to call and see trees and prices. [fe28 3m c339] M. LEWIS.

Pike's Peak!

HO! FOR THE GOLD FIELDS—Tents of all sizes and all prices always on hand, and made to order by

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THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO make contracts for

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As our Company has been engaged for several years in freighting for the Government of the United States, I am confident of giving satisfaction.

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CRACKERS AND HARD BREAD

At Thomas Thomson's Steam Bakery,
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The Crackers are made of the best material the market can furnish, and manufactured to keep any reasonable length of time, and carefully packed in barrels and boxes. The attention of wholesale dealers in city and country is respectfully called to the above.

THOMAS THOMSON,
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To all persons intending to go to the

KANSAS GOLD MINES.

The undersigned, long a resident in the Territory, and having considerable information in reference to the Gold Mines—the best location, the best and most expeditious and easiest routes—the necessary outfit, and whatever relates to the cost of the enterprise, and the necessary materials, is prepared to furnish such reliable information as is desired.

Letters addressed to me to box 470, Leavenworth City, Kansas Territory, or Lecompton, K. T., and enclosing $1, and a postage stamp, will be promptly answered.
E. B. NICOLSON.

References for character, &c.—Hon. Thos. H. Hicks, Gov. of Maryland; Hon. Jas. A. Stewart, M. C., Maryland; President and Faculty, Dickinson College.
fe28 3w*

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THE CITY MANUFACTURING COMPANY of Waterbury, Conn., have taken the stock of Lamps &c., owned by the late firm of WARREN & CO., No. 69 Lake street, Chicago, Ill., and offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO THE TRADE.

Prices Reduced to Suit the Times.

The Stock consists of Coal or Carbon Oil and Fluid Lamps and Lanterns—a very extensive variety—Chandeliers, Hanging Lights, Side, Back Lights, Chimneys, Wicks, Scissors, Paper Shades, Lamps for Ladies Fetis, Circular Mirrors, Sherman's Pocket Levels, &c., at manufacturer's prices.

Also, Cheap for Cash

Three Oil Cans holding 80 Gal's—New,

And a lot of Smaller Tin Cans, holding from ¼ gallon to 10 gallons.
fe16-1m c299 J. E. JOHNSON, Manager.

DIRECTORY OF CHICAGO.—
CARD.

D. B. COOKE & CO. beg to announce to the public, and especially the business men of Chicago, that their second annual issue of the Directory of Chicago will be issued in June.

The numerous changes that will occur on or before the 1st of May, have induced us to delay the canvass of the work until the 2d day of May, thereby ensuring a more perfect and reliable work as a canvass made at the present time must necessarily be deficient and comparatively worthless.

CAUTION.

We are informed that certain parties now now obtaining subscriptions and advertisements for a Directory of the City, representing the same to be our regular issue. We shall not commence *our canvass* until after the changes and removals of May next.

D. B. COOKE & CO., Agents,
fe24 Publishers Directory of Chicago, 111 Lake st.

REMOVAL.

BUEL, HILL, GRANGER & CO.,
Wholesale Dealers in
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Have taken their Stock to
33..........Lake Street..........33
Corner of Wabash Avenue,

We are now receiving our Spring Stock, and with increased facilities for doing business, we shall always have our stock complete—shall keep first-class work, and sell low to cash and prompt paying trade.
fe19 c261 3m BUEL, HILL, GRANGER & CO.

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RIFLES, SHOT GUNS, REVOLVERS, BOWIE KNIVES, and general outfits for the Mines at 280 Lake street. GEO. T. ABBEY.
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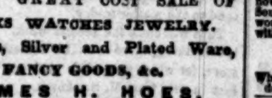

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Diamonds, Silver and Plated Ware,
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☞ The Ladies will not let this rare opportunity pass without securing some of the beautiful articles comprising this stock.

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60 TONS ANTHRACITE COAL, (NUT size) for sale cheap to close a consignment.
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☞ If you want a Purgative or Cathartic Pill go to B. S. & Co's, 124 Lake street.

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☞ For Strengthening Plasters of all kinds go to BOLLES, SMITH & CO., 124 Lake-st.

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☞ For Hadkerchief Extracts and Perfumery go to BOLLES, SMITH & CO., 124 Lake-st.

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Bronchitis,
Hoarseness,
Sore Throat,
Whooping Cough,
Incipient Consumption,

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☞ Cures Cough, Cold, Hoarseness and Influenza.
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... Thou need not despair ... so nearly as thou art gone thy condition is not more hopeless than mine was, and as thou knowest I have been restored to robust health, as well as thousands of others whose testimony thou wilt find with the bottle. Think not, because everything thou hast tried has failed, that thou art beyond the reach of medicine. Thou wilt surely not be deceived by this good remedy. Be sure that thou gettest no other." Sold by BOLLES, SMITH & CO., 124 Lake street.

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A PERFECTLY TRIUMPHANT
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FOR ALL DISEASES ARISING FROM
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Particularly FEVER and AGUE.

Chills and Fever, and all diseases arising from that condition of the Liver so universally produced by the malaria and fogs of the West. Such as diseased or turgid liver enlargement of the spleen, or Ague Cake in the side, Bilious, Intermitting, Remittent Fevers, and, indeed, all diseases arising from a bilious condition of the system. Its ingredients are all vegetable, and perfectly harmless in their effects, and perfectly certain to cure. Reader, if you desire to save money and time, and get your health, take it at once, instead of those things which only palliate while they do not cure.

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BLUFFTON, Ind., May 17, 1858.

MESSRS. S. K. MANN & CO.—*Gents:* Having sold your Ague Balsam for the past three years to scores of persons in this vicinity, and closely observing its effects, we do not hesitate in saying we believe it the best remedy ever sold in Indiana, and will effectually cure chills, fever and ague without fail.
Truly yours, PHILLIMAN & KEARNS, Druggists.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Sept. 13, 1856.

DR. MANN:—Please send me one-half gross more of your Ague Balsam immediately. It is in great demand, and may be truly styled the King of Fever and Ague.
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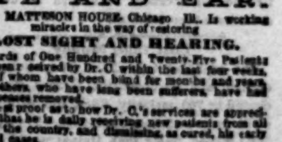

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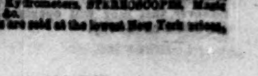

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Like a maiden, dancing home her song! O echoes sad depart!
Her smile's the key in every door of the prison of the heart!
All things remember, seeing her—her traveling choir the birds!
What singing in the sunshine, and what lowing of the herds!
The lambs, that only Winter knew, have like a garland bound her—
As if they knew her long ago, all gladdening dance around her!
The trees she only looks upon—green leaves begin to grow!
The orchard blushed! Is it snow?—but oh! how fragrant snow!
All things are in the sunny air, whate'er can learn to fly;
The very worm has brightest wings, in its heaven—the butterfly!
The Spring! The Spring! She is here again—her train the brightest hours!
And the last o' the snow, she is smiling so, forgets it was not—flowers!

Marriage Life in France.

Chiefly the authority of travelers who have described life as they saw it, and who have not always seen it from the most domestic point of view, large numbers have come to believe France one of the most immoral countries in Europe, unless Italy be excepted. Paris is probably about as loose a capital as any need wish to see. Yet vice and virtue are not mixed up, even in Paris, as Dr. Sanger has shown them to be, in every street in New York; nor does vice walk the street as unblushingly. But all great cities are great sores in some point of view, as Jefferson has truly said; and French cities are more systematically depraved probably than many others. But he who sees the corruption of French city life, and judges thereby of the whole French nation, greatly misjudges the bulk of the people. And nothing seems to be better established than that the small farmers and the country people generally, who form the masses, are very much like that class of people, all the world through, and about equal to the average in point of mortality, marrying and giving in marriage, like the rest of the world.

Population does not increase quite so fast in France as in England, nor in England, of course, as in the United States. But France furnishes, at least, the most authentic and accurate statistics, exhibiting the effects of every different mode of life, upon the national prosperity. In this respect, it is far before every other country on the globe.

Out of thirty-six millions of inhabitants in France, fifteen and a half millions are married, or in a state of widowhood. This, certainly, does not look as though marriage was there an obsolete institution. Eight and a half millions are bachelors or spinsters, leaving only twelve millions for children, so, at least the figures show. Thus the proportion of the married would seem much larger than would have been expected, but the number of children singularly small.

Dr. Farre thinks, however, that the type of the French race is improving, from the diminution of bad types, such as idiots and lunatics, who do not marry. The general opinion has been, that in point of stature at least, Frenchmen were rather deteriorating. In France, marriage is much more the result of prudential calculations and considerations than with us, or even with the English. All is done by negotiation. The heart has little to do with the matter; fancy nothing, and prudence everything. The marriage is not legal unless the man is eighteen, and the woman fifteen. Even then, unless the head of the family give his or her consent, the ceremony can be set aside. In all this, France is in one extreme, and we quite as excessively in the other. Prudence and principle have too little to do with our marriages, and a momentary fancy too much.

Marriage is more favorible to long life than celibacy as these statistics prove, unless it be very early marriage. The mortality of males marrying before twenty is almost five times as great, it is said, as of those remaining single. This, however, must be an error. From twenty upwars, marriage seems to give about double the chance of seeing sixty. To about thirty, the chance of life for unmarried famales is rather better than that of married. But from this up, the scale turns decidedly the other way; and the chance of seeing sixty is very far better for the married than the unmarried female. For those marrying under twenty, however, the chances of mortality are rather grater than those who wait until about that time, when the bodily system is well matured.

At all ages—widows are mere mortal than wives, and widowers than married men. Grief has, of course, much to do with this. The absence of that mutual care which each exercises on the other, is also concerned. So that great as are often its expenses and privations, these are all as nothing to the evils of having none but self to live for.

In fact, to live without a purpose and without an aim beyond the mere personal good, seems the most fatal of all things in human life. Without some object beyond themselves men and women soon die. The married life calls into existence faith and hope more than single life. Married life is the great foe of a thousand immoralities that out short life, and the friend of peace. Ten single men enlist as soldiers, or throw their live away in fights, to one married.

New French Dictionary.

The French language is placed by government under the sale keeping of the forty "immortals" who occupy the fauteuils of the French Academy. To them is given the legal power of elaborating, changing, improving the etymology, phraseology, and grammar of the language of the country. Some years ago, (in 1836, I believe,) in response to a general call, the Government ordered the Academy to commence a complete revision of the Dictionary. A committee of six, selected from the most noted philogists of the illustrious body, were named to take charge of the work. The whole body lent its aid, for all modifications were discussed in Committee of the Whole, and the Committee had the direction of the work.

The first volume of the revised Dictionary has been published, and upon this volume a calculation has been based which would certainly be taken for a fantasy, if the figures were not there to maintain its truth. The *old* Dictionary is printed in two volumes, containing a total of 1,872 pages. The first volume of the *new* Dictionary, just issued, contains 368 quarto pages, and stops at the word, *abusivement*. This volume, therefore, represents but the 144th part of the work to be done, which will reach a total of 56 volumes of more than 900. (The 368 pages just issued are in fact only a part of the first volume, intended as a specimen for criticism.) It is said that this specimen volume was issued as soon as ready, and that the Committee had no new matter prepared when this went to press. We are, therefore, authorized in assuming that the work yet to accomplish will occupy the same length of time in proportion as that just issued. From this it results that the 56 volumes will require in their accomplishment 3,289 years; in other words, the generation which will have the pleasure of seeing the letter Z finished, will live A. D. 5147! Or, to have been finished in 1859, the work should have been commenced in the year 1830 B. C. Even if we diminish the length of time occupied on each volume to three or two years, which is more than can be hoped for, we arrive at a figure which demonstrates the utter impossibility of continuing in the manner in which the Academy has commenced. The reader can make his own calculations as to the millions the new Dictionary will cost.

☞ An alderman having grown enormously fat while in office, a wag wrote on his back: "Widened at the expense of the corporation."

Mr. Prescott and his Publishers.

A correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* furnishes the following statement respecting the relations between the late William H. Prescott and his publishers:

"A short time before the publication of Philip II, the contract under which the Messrs. Harpers used his streotype plates, and published from his works, expired."

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"If my recollection is correct, the terms were indifferent and vague. They would allow the usual per centage, but would not insure the sale of a definite number of copies.

"Mr. Prescott closed the contract with Messrs. P. S. & Co., or at any rate gave them notice that he would. The Messrs. Harper had by this time discovered their mistake, and sent him an offer identical with that made by Philips, Sampson, & Co.

"But it was too late, and so Mr. Prescott notified them.

"I have heard that the Messrs. Harper felt much chagrined when Mr. Prescott, in his getlemanly way, thanked them for their past favors, informed them of his new business relations and directed them to put his plates in good condition and send them to Boston."

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An American medical student named Smith, a native of New-York State, graduate of Union College, and the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New-York city, has created a sensation in the medical circles of Berlin. In a case of croup on ship-board during his passage across the Atlantic, in which the child lingered along day after day in intense suffering, he suggested the administration of oxygen as a substitute for the atmospheric air, which the child could no longer inhale in sufficient quantities to save life. The surgeon was afraid to venture it, and the child died. Since his arrival in Berlin, Mr. Smith has experimented upon rabbits, and a short time ago brought the matter before a club of students. Since that time his experiments have been repeated by one of the oldest physicians in Berlin, and those who were present drew up a paper to be presented to the *Gesellschaft fur Heilkunde*, the principal medical society of the city. Mr. Smith was subsequently invited to a meeting of the Society, and found he had been elected an active member during his stay in Germany, and corresponding member after his return to America. It is thought the experiments may lead to important results.

A correspondent of the *Homestead* gives the following:

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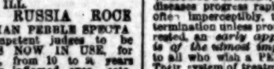

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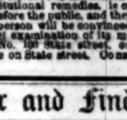

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1859 Spring Trade. 1859
FREEDMAN, GOODKIND & CO.,
135 Lake Street,
Are now prepared to exhibit a large variety of New and Beautiful
SPRING GOODS,
CONSISTING OF
Dress Silks, Magnificent Styles,
Valencias, Poil de Chevre,
Printed Bareges, Challies de Laines,
Embroideries, Laces,
French, English and American Prints, and Brilliants.
BONNETS AND BONNET RIBBONS,
And, in fact, everything that is New and Desirable in the line of FANCY GOODS, and the most complete stock of DOMESTICS.
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Dry Goods, Shoes & Hats,
AT WHOLESALE.
DAVIS, SAWYER & CO.,
(Late Davis, Moody & Co.)
Have Removed to Store
42 - - Lake Street, - - 42
Where they are prepared to show a large stock of
DRY-GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,
direct from the Manufacturers, comprising all that is new and desirable in each line of Goods. Country Merchants will here find a full assortment of Staple and Fancy Goods adapted to their trade and the season, all of which will be offered at low prices for cash or approved credit.
No. 42 Lake street, next building to the American House.

LOW PRICES WIN.—
PEAKE, MARSH & DeLONG,
30 Lake Street.
Our policy of small expenses, and standard Goods at low prices to men who pay, having carried us successfully through times of panic, we shall still adhere to it. We are determined to offer irresistable inducements to good men, and shall offer at WHOLESALE throughout the season, a very full Spring Stock of the very best makes of
STAPLE DRY GOODS,
HOSIERY AND NOTIONS.
At the very Lowest Prices that close buying and small expenses will admit of.
To our customers who know our way of doing business in the past, this notice is unnecessary, but we solicit the attention of all good men who "look around" for the advantages of the market, and have something more than promises to pay for goods. ja19 c82 6m

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TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERIES.
LACES,
NEW STYLE SKIRTS
CORSETS.
UNDER GARMENTS,
GLOVES AND HOSIERY,
KID GLOVES,
WOOLEN GOODS,
BERLIN WOOLS,
And a General Stock of
SMALL WARES
Kept Constantly on hand and for sale
Wholesale and Retail,
78 Lake Street.
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Furniture, &c.

FOR FURNITURE
CALL ON
H. N. PARSONS,
179....RANDOLPH STREET....179,
He is selling Goods
AT COST
WITHOUT REGARD TO VALUE.

Furniture! Furniture!!
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
—AT—
NEW YORK & BOSTON PRICES.
FACTS WORTH KNOWING!
20 per Cent Saved in the Purchase.
Shearer, Paine & Strong,
Having Removed to
JONES' NEW IRON FRONT STORE,
NO. 203 RANDOLPH ST.,
Are now prepared to exhibit to their old customers, and to the public generally,
The Largest and Best Assorted
STOCK OF FURNITURE
WEST OF NEW YORK,
Which they have recently received, and are now opening, consisting in part of
Mahogany, Rosewood and Walnut
PARLOR FURNITURE.
In Brocatelle, DeLaine, Plush and Hair Cloth.
Enamelled, Oak, Chestnut, Mahogany & Rosew'd
CHAMBER SETTS,
Of New and Elegant Designs, from the best Manufacturies in Boston, New York and Philadelphia.
—ALSO—
An Extensive variety of Mahogany, Walnut and Rosewood Tete a Tetes, Easy Chairs, Parlor Chairs, Reception and Rocking Chairs, Sewing Chairs, Divans, Ottomans and Lounges. Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut Etageres, Bureaus and Sideboards. Patent Spring Beds, Curled Hair, Cotton and Husk, Palm and Excelsior Mattresses. Fine Rush Seat Chairs, Carved Oak Extension Tables, Oak Dining Chairs, Cane Seat Chairs of every description.
—ALSO—
DINING ROOM AND COMMON FURNITURE,
IN GREAT VARIETY.
Goods Manufactured Here To Order Out of the
BEST MATERIALS.
We are constantly receiving from SHEARER & JONES, New York, and SHEARER & PAINE, Boston, (Manufacturers,) the
LATEST PATTERNS
AND
Most Approved Styles of Goods,
Which will make it a great inducement to those
FURNISHING HOTELS AND HOUSES
To examine our Stock before sending East.
No parties VISITING THE CITY FOR THE PURCHASE OF FURNITURE should fail to examine
OUR MAMMOTH STOCK
Before Making their Purchases.
To the Public at Large
We are prepared to prove that Furniture of Every Grade, from the Kitchen to the Parlor,
Will be Furnished from Our Establishment at Prices Lower than any House in the West.
SHEARER, PAINE & STRONG,
203..........RANDOLPH STREET..........203
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C. MORGAN,
199 - - - - Lake Street, - - - - 199
New and Beautiful Designs
LATEST STYLES of
Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut Parlor,
—AND—
BEDROOM FURNITURE,
IN SUITS.
The subscriber is now receiving LARGE ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES to his former
Mammoth Stock of Cabinet Furniture & Chairs
As the Stock is now Complete and Full, and the
Largest to be found West of New York.
He would cordially invite the attention of his former friends and patrons and the public generally to call and examine
His Elegant Furniture
Before purchasing elsewhere.
Selling at Greatly Reduced Prices from Last Season.
CHICAGO, AUGUST 11th, 1858. a88-ly

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(Successors to Willard, Peck & Co.)
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Mahogany, Rosewood & Walnut,
—ALSO—
CHAMBER, DINING ROOM AND COMMON
FURNITURE
In Great Variety.
WOOD SEAT AND CANE SEAT CHAIRS, BEDSTEADS, BUREAUS.
☞ Particular attention paid to Country Orders, and to Furnishing Hotels, &c.

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195..........South Clark Street..........195
[Between Monroe and Adams.]
Where I am prepared to Dye and Clean Silk, Satin and Woolen Dresses and Shawls; gentlemen's Coats, Vests and Pants, in every style desired; Carpets cleaned; Lace Curtains cleaned and bleached or restored new. All goods warranted to look well as new.
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Manufactured and for sale at
THE NOVELTY MILLS,
... 300 and 302 State street.

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BROWN & BARBER,
PRODUCE, COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS, and dealers in Malt, Barley and Eastern Hops, No. 181 Illinois street, Chicago, Ill.
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Prompt personal attention given to the sale of Flour, Grain, Hides, Provisions, Seeds, and Country Produce generally.

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No. 6 Hilliard's Block, corner Clark and South Water sts. Agents for the FULTON STARCH WORKS, Fulton, N. Y. (Late Oswego River Starch Company.) They manufacture all kinds of pure Corn Starch ... Orders addressed to M. NELSON ... will receive prompt attention.

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Chicago, January 31, 1859.

CULVER & CO.,
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216 South Water Street.
B. F. CULVER. ... C. E. CULVER.
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WILLIAMS & HOUGHTELING
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No. 210½ South Water street, second door West of Wells street Bridge, give their exclusive attention to the sale and purchase of all kinds of Produce, &c., &c., on Commission. Cash advances made on consignments and property in store. Refer to Geo. Smith & Co., Marine Bank, and Geo. Steele & Co. ja12 b941 ly

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We also give prompt and careful attention to re-shipments by river to Nashville, Evansville, Cincinnati, Wheeling, Pittsburgh, New Orleans and Memphis.
Cairo, Illinois, December 15th, 1858.

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ADVANCES MADE ON PRODUCE IN Store or for Shipment. Sterling Exchange on London for sale. Exchange on New York bought and sold. Office in Steel's Block, corner of Lasalle and South Water street.

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NO. 79 BEAVER STREET..........NEW YORK.

WALLER & CO.,
NO. 17 STATE STREET..........CHICAGO, ILL.
Cash Advances made on Produce in Store, or shipped to our House in New York.
JAMES LEES. ... New York. JAMES B. WALLER, EDWARD WALLER, Chicago.

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WE ARE PREPARED TO MAKE CASH ADVANCES on Grain for shipment East, giving the owner privilege of selling in Buffalo or New York for a small commission. UNDERWOOD & CO.
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Of Flour, Grain, and other Produce,
ON COMMISSION.
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No. 150 South Water street, Chicago.
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Dealer in all kinds of Flour and Feed, and Country Produce, Wholesale and Retail.
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White Lead Works.
L. LYON & CO.
MANUFACTURERS OF
WHITE LEAD AND ZINC PAINT.
Office and Factory corner of Halsted and Fulton streets, West Side.

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JOBBERS OF
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MILLER & BROWN
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No. 100 South Water-st., cor. Wells-st., Chicago.
A. M. MILLER ... CHAS. BROWN.

WADSWORTH & WELLS
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BOOTS AND SHOES,
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Manufacturers and Jobbers in
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Manufactory at West Boylston, Massachusetts.

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CRAWFORD SHARP & CO.
Importers and Dealers in
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FIELD, BENEDICT & CO.,
21 & 23 South Water Street,
Are now receiving their usual large stock of
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SATINETTS, KENTUCKY JEANS, COTTONADES
Coatings, Linens and Linen Drills,
TAILOR'S TRIMMINGS, ETC., ETC.
To which they invite the attention of the Trade.
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BENEDICT MALLORY & FARNAM
WHOLESALE JOBBERS
IN
Hats, Caps and Straw Goods
NO. 45 AND 47 LAKE STREET.

Planing Mills, Sash, Doors, &c.
WM. GOLDIE'S SASH FACTORY.
All kinds of sash, doors, and blinds, window and door frames, ... mouldings, ... turning and scroll sawing ...

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G. W. & J. ROBINSON
No. 74 North ... Carriages ...

BY TELEGRAPH.

[illegible] THE PRESS AND TRIBUNE.

XXXVth CONGRESS——SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, March 1—SENATE.—The Post Office appropriation bill being under consideration, Mr. Yulee offered an amendment, raising the rate of postage to five cents and abolishing the franking privilege. Agreed to—yeas 29, nays 28.

Mr. Wilson moved that in future the department advertising be given to two papers in each State and Territory having the largest circulation. Agreed to.

Mr. Wilson's further amendment, that the contract with Butterfield & Co., for carrying the California overland mail, be modified so that the contractors may carry the mail on any route they may select, was objected to by Messrs. Yulee, Toombs and Iverson, who saw in the proposition an attempt to deprive the South of the privilege of a mail route, as well as influence the Pacific Railroad. Others joined in the debate, in the course of which it came out that each letter sent by the overland conveyance cost the Government thirty-five to sixty dollars.

Mr. Wilson's amendment was lost by ayes 19, nays 32.

Mr. Stuart moved to amend that the Butterfield overland contract be reduced to weekly service, and the pay to be $450,000, instead of $600,000. Agreed to.

Mr. Broderick moved to amend that the weekly mail between St. Joseph, Missouri, and Placerville, be accelerated to 25 days, and the pay $110,000. Agreed to.

Mr. Rice moved to amend that a weekly mail be established from St Paul, Minn., to Puget's Sound, the pay to be $200,000. Agreed to. Carried, yeas 23; nays 4.

Mr. Benjamin moved to strike out the $80,000 for the monthly overland mail from Kansas City to Stockton, at the expiration of the present quarter.

The bill was then reported to the Senate, when most of the amendments of the Committee of the Whole were adopted. The section raising the rates of postage, abolishing the franking privilege, and generally regulating the details, &c., was adopted.

Mr. Clingman moved to give the Postmaster-General discretionary power to continue any overland route. Adopted.

Some minor amendments were then adopted and added to the bill, when it was passed by 29 against 22.

The Naval Appropriation bill was then taken up. The amendments adopted in Committee of the Whole, are to allow back pay to the officers suspended by the recent Naval Board, and to pay $170,000 to the Paraguay expedition.

Mr. Hale moved a new section that no new promotions shall be made in the Navy until the number of captains shall be reduced to fifty.

The bill was reported to the Senate and the amendments agreed to except those increasing the appropriations for the respective navy yards. Mr. Hale's amendment was lost by 28 to 8.

At 2 o'clock this morning, adjourned.

MARCH 2.—SENATE.—Mr. Seward explained that if he had been present at the vote on the Naval bill, he should have voted against Mr. Hammond's amendment to increase the appropriation for the Navy Yards and elsewhere.

Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky, presented the credentials of Lazarus W. Powell, as his successor.

Mr. Hunter called up the miscellaneous appropriation bill.

Mr. Slidell presented the credentials of Mr. Benjamin, who has just been re-elected to the Senate from Louisiana.

The bill to carry into effect the treaty between the United States and Canada was passed.

A multitude of memorials were then tabled, as there was no time to act on them.

The miscellaneous appropriation bill was then taken up.

It appropriates for the coast survey, $253,000; for light houses, $927,000; for the survey of the public lands, $265,000; for Washington City for various things, $127,000; for the treasury building, $50,000; for the post office building, $150,000; for the capitol extension, $400,000, but no decorations are to be executed until approved of by the Art Committee. For the botanic garden, $7,400; for the insane hospital, $88,000; for the mortgage on government property in Pine street, N. Y., $11,000; for the Patent Office, agricultural department, $40,000, and for various other things about $30,000. The total amount appropriated is $2,345,000.

Mr. Simmons moved an amendment providing for a home valuation on imports, but after a protracted debate as to whether it was in order or not, it was lost.

Mr. Hunter, from the Finance Committee, moved as an amendment that the President be authorized to issue Treasury notes for $20,000,000, at six per cent interest.

This was debated at great length by Messrs. Seward, Cameron, Davis and others.

Then the Senate agreed to take a recess.

The Senate on re-assembling went into Committee of the Whole. After some discussion, the amendment moved by Mr. Hunter, from the Finance Committee, for the issue of treasury notes for $20,000,000 was adopted by yeas 24; nays 10.

AYES—Allen, Bayard, Benjamin, Bigler, Clingman, Davis, Fitch, Green, Gwin, Houston, Hunter, Iverson, Jones, Mason, Mallory, Pearce, Polk, Pugh, Reid, Rice, Shields, Slidell, Ward, and Yulee—24.

NAYS—Broderick, Cameron, Clark, Dixon, Doolittle, Foote, Hale, Harlan, Simmons, and Wilson—10.

HOUSE.—On motion of Mr. Phelps, the House suspended the rules and passed the Senate resolution authorizing the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to confer on Commodore Stewart the commission of senior flag officer of the Navy, on the active list, in recognition of his distinguished and meritorious services.

The House acted on the Senate's amendments to the Army bill, which were previously considered in Committee of the Whole, and concurred in: among others, $100,000 for a military road, from Ft. Benton to Walla-Walla; $353,000 for repair, and machinery, and $55,000 for similar purposes at Harper's Ferry armory. The amendment to pay Massachusetts $227,000 for balance of her claims of the war of 1812, was adopted, by yeas 176, nays 23.

The House passed Senate bill extending the laws and judiciary system over Oregon.

The House ordered to be printed 21,000 copies of the agricultural and 20,000 of the mechanical part of the Patent Office Report.

Mr. Davis, of Ind., tried to introduce a bill repealing the prohibitory clause in the English Kansas bill, but the House refused to suspend the rules.

A bill appropriating $55,000 for deepening the channel of the St. Clair Flats passed by 55 majority.

The House reconsidered the vote by which the Mail Steamer bill was yesterday defeated, and again rejected it by a vote of 66 against 94.

The House concurred in the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing amendments to the Executive, Judicial and Legislative Appropriation bill. This restores the mileage of the next Congress, originally stricken out by the House.

Recess until 7 o'clock.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Mr. Sartiges, the French Minister, is removed, and Viscount De Serre, at present at Baden, is appointed to succeed him.

The Nicaraguan treaty was considered in the Cabinet to-day.

Mr. Lamar says the failure of Nicaragua to ratify the treaty was attributed to the want of time. He thinks the treaty will be ratified as it might possibly be confirmed were it slightly modified.

"Inspector," of the *Courier and Enquirer* says the recognition of the Liberal Government in Mexico is indefinitely postponed, and Senor Mata will not be received.

The President approves the rejection of the Cass-Yrissarri treaty by Nicaragua.

The reception of General Jerez last November, was regarded by President Martinez as an abandonment of the treaty by this Government, and is the cause of the non ratification.

It is understood that Sir Gore Ousley's treaty will stipulate for equal privileges for England and the United States, and will be acceptable to this Government.

In the opinion of Gen. Jerez, the great obstacle to the settlement of affairs with Nicaragua is now removed.

A resolution is suggested, requesting the recall of J. Glancy Jones from Austria, because of the recent disclosures.

Information has been received from reliable sources in Ascencion and Buenos Ayres, stating that Mr. Hamberger, our consul in Paraguay, has repeatedly written to our government, giving them full information in regard to matters and things in that country, but has not received for more than a year a single line in reply. Lopez is represented as having stated that he is perfectly willing to apologize for the affair with the Water-Witch, as that was caused by a mistake on the part of a public officer; but that the claim of the so-called American company he will not settle, as it is a swindle, which Commissioner Bowlin will learn, if he will investigate it, and that he is ready to submit it to arbitration of friendly powers.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Advices from the African squadron up to January 4th, say that the health of the officers and men was generally good. The Dale, after a cruise on the South Coast, had arrived at Port Prayo short of provisions.

The mail received from Santa Fe brings a copy of the stringent laws passed by the Legislature of New Mexico to protect property in slaves and totally prohibiting emancipation in that Territory.

The vessel to bring Lord Lyons, successor to Lord Napier, to this country will probably land him at Annapolis.

William Smith O'Brien to-day visited both Houses of Congress, and was cordially received by many members.

NEW YORK, March 3d.—It is agreed that a compromise tariff bill shall be introduced tomorrow, retaining the present free list and increasing the duties on coal and iron.

Shooting Affray—One Man Killed and Several Wounded.

LOUISVILLE, March 2.—An old political feud has existed between Thomas S. Low of Hawesville, and Cicero Maxwell of Hartford, Ky., Prosecuting Attorney of that District. Low had threatened to cowhide Maxwell on meeting him. To-day Maxwell addressing the court at Hawesville, was interrupted by Low, denouncing him in grossly insulting language. Maxwell and others fired several shots, wounding Low in the thigh and arm, cutting off his thumb, and riddling his shirt. A general fire of pistols ensued from the friends of Maxwell. Jno. Aldridge, a friend of Low was killed. Mr. Miller was shot through the thigh. Low was committed to jail for protection from the mob.

Fire in Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 2.—A fire last night caught in the cellar of the *Eagle and Enquirer* office, burning half a square on Main street, including the *Eagle and Enquirer*, *Avalanche*, *Ledger*, *Christian Advocate*, and *Presbyterian* Journal offices, Hutton & Clark printers.

The stores of Gilkey & Warren, Safferans & Co., W. W. Hunt, S. Stillman, Hamrich [illegible], and the saloon of Joseph Tenfel were destroyed. Loss, $150,000; more or less covered by insurance.

Mr. Butterworth Makes a Statement.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Mr. Butterworth has published a minute statement, showing how far he was connected with the recent terrible occurrence. He says that when he left the house of Mr. Sickles, he had no thought of meeting or seeing Mr. Key, his object being to see Mr. Stewart. He had no arms with him, and did not know that Mr. Sickles intended to take arms. Mr. Sickles left the house after he (Butterworth) had done so, and without any suggestion on the part of him, (Butterworth), came towards the Club House. When Mr. Key saluted him (Butterworth) he did not know that Mr. Sickles was approaching him, nor did he see him until he turned to leave Mr. Key. It is not true that he sought or detained Mr. Key, who first addressed him (Butterworth). Their interview did not last one minute.

A Diabolical Case of Lynching.

ST. LOUIS, March 2.—The St. Joseph correspondent of the *Republican* under date of 27th ult., says a special message from Platte City brings information that Doy and son, confined on the charge of running off negroes, were forcibly taken from jail last night by a mob of three hundred men and hung. The reason assigned is that the court would acquit the prisoners on the ground that it was not the proper district to try them in.

LATER.—St. Joseph papers of the 28th ult. and 1st inst. contain nothing in reference to the hanging of Doy and son at Platte City, by a mob. The story is doubtless an unmitigated hoax.

Opening of Lake Navigation.

BUFFALO, March 2.—The propeller Equinox, of the N. Y. Central Railroad line, with a full load of merchandise, left this morning for Cleveland and Sandusky. If she succeeds in getting through, another of the same line will follow on Monday. There is no ice now in sight, and navigation is considered as fairly opened for the season.

Arrest of Lottery Swindlers.

BOSTON, March 2.—Wm. Shute and wife, Alonzo Shute and D. G. Palmer were arrested on Monday morning in York Co., Me., charged with lottery swindling. They were taken to Newburyport, Mass., and held to bail in $8,000 each for examination.

Later from the Steamboat Disaster.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Later advices from the scene of the burning of the Princess report that numbers of the sufferers are dying from their injuries. The forward part of the boat was blown to pieces.

The P. M. General Sick.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Post Master General Brown has been suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. He is in a somewhat improved condition to-day.

Lake Erie Open.

CLEVELAND, March 2.—Navigation is open to Dunkirk, and the New York and Erie line of propellers commenced running to-day.

COMMERCIAL.

Commercial and Money Matters.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 2.

MONEY, EXCHANGE, &c.—Quotations remain precisely at former figures, and no event has occurred to vary the dull routine of ordinary business. We therefore simply repeat former quotations, viz: Exchange 1 1-2, gold 1 1-2, with no demand. Discounts 10 per cent. Street rates nominal at 1@2 per cent, with few transactions.

COMMERCIAL.—The Wheat market was buoyant and active, with an advance of 2c on No. 1 Red; 1½@2c on No. 2 Red; 2c on Standard Spring; and 3@4c on No. 2 Spring—opening quiet, but closing with a good demand and an upward tendency. Sales amounted to about 30,000 bushels at $1.28@1.30 for No. 1 Red; $1.15 for No. 2 Red; $1.00@1.01 for Standard Spring; 91@93c for No. 2 Spring; 93@94c for old inspection No. 2 Spring; and 79c for Rejected Spring.

The Flour market was very firm, under a bare market. Sales amounted to about 700 bbls at $5.08@5.17 f. o. b. for low grade to common Spring Extra; $5 50 for good do; and $6.25 for Michigan Winter.

There was a good demand for Corn, and the market advanced 1c, with sales of Shelled at 69@70c per 60 lbs on track. There is considerable speculative inquiry with regard to cargoes for delivery in spring; but buyers and sellers are apart. Oats very firm for Prime quality. Barley in good demand. Highwines firm—manufacturers holding at 26c. Timothy Seed in fair demand, and prices a shade better for choice. Clover dull.

The Provision market is inactive. A sale of 83 packages prime Lard was made at 11⅝c. Tallow still scarce.

The Milwaukee *Sentinel* of to-day reports the wheat market active, with an advance of ⅛@1c per bushel. Flour firm, with sales at $5.75@6.00 for Spring Extras. Receipts yesterday:—Flour, 531 bbls; Wheat, 7,691 bu; Oats, 1,583 bu; Corn, 217 bu; Barley, 518 bu.

At St. Louis on the 28th, Corn sold at 60@70c; Wheat, $1.12@1.27 for Winter, and $1.05@1.13 for Spring; Flour inactive.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* of yesterday says:

There was a strong speculative feeling in the flour market to-day, and a further advance was established in prices, with sales of 3,500 bbls at $5.60@5.70 for Superfine, and holders did not meet the demand freely at the improved rates. For the 1st of April delivery, $6 was offered for good Superfine. The advices from New York continue favorable, but where prices advance 5c there they go up 10c here, thus keeping the shipping margin below a paying point. The quotations there to-day were $5 55@5 65 for qualities corresponding with Cincinnati Superfine, while our currency is $5.60@5 70. This difference would fall short of the freight charges alone. At New Orleans the market is also improving, but the quotation for Superfine Ohio and Indiana on Saturday was only $5.25—35@40c below our quotations.

The market for grain is unchanged. The demand for Wheat and Corn is good, and prices are firm. Provisions, with the exception of heavy bulk sides are dull and heavy. We heard of no transactions in Mess Pork, and the article is nominal at $18. There are not many buyers or sellers at this figure. Bacon was offered at 7⅞ and 9⅝ for Shoulders and Sides. Lard firm at 11⅝ for prime barrel. Heavy bulk Sides 7@7⅛ for the former, and 36@37 for the latter. Whisky firm at 25⅝, with a good demand. Pig Metal is selling in the small way at $35, 6 mos., and $32 cash for best brands of Ohio River hot blast. With a view to restricting the credit system, leading dealers have concluded to make a difference of $3 per ton between cash and time sales. Clover Seed dull and heavy.

Spirit of the Commercial Circulars by the Canada.

Messrs. Richardson, Spence & Co., in their circular, dated Feb. 11, with regard to Breadstuffs say:

This week's arrivals consists of 1,262 sacks flour, from France; 5,836 quarters wheat, 3,610 quarters corn, from the Mediterranean and Black Sea; and 200 barrels flour from South America.

Farmers' deliveries of wheat for the week ending last Saturday were 105,468 quarters, at 40s.10d, against 103,579 quarters at 46s.9d, in the corresponding week of last year.

The country markets continue to be liberally supplied, and the grain trade has ruled dull, without variation in prices. On Tuesday the market was slow for all articles, at previous rates.

To-day we had again a small attendance of buyers, and a very inanimate trade. In wheat sales were in the merest retail, and prices a shade easier. Flour nominal; choice qualities scarce. Indian corn—Best samples of white selling in small qualities, at quotations. Nothing doing in yellow or mixed. We quote, per cental, wheat, red, Chicago, and Milwaukee, 5s 9c to 8s 3d; Indiana, 8.7d to 9s.3d; white Western, 8s.7d to [illegible]; Southern 10s to 10s.9d; Flour 10s to [illegible]; Indian Corn, mixed and yellow, 5s 10d to [illegible]; white, 7s to 7s 4d.

Messrs. Wright, Junior & Co.'s circular with regard to the prospect of a European war, contains the following:

Many are disposed to regard political movements in a pacific light; but the angry attitude of affairs between France, Austria and Sardinia, and the active war-like preparations still in progress, are sufficiently indicative that open hostilities are delayed only in deference to other powers and the commercial public, and have more the character of a respite for the purpose of obtaining, by fresh loans, sufficient funds to conduct a campaign, than assurances of a desire to preserve peace. Eventuate as this may, confidence in monetary and business circles is limited, and until the horizon be cleared of the present obscurity caution will be the prevailing feature.

The grain trade remains in a very languid state, and business in both wheat and flour is restricted to consumptive requirements. Prices are tolerably steady. For Indian Corn there has been a better inquiry, and rates have an upward tendency.

Robert Makin & Son, in their circular dated, Liverpool, Feb. 8, says:

At this period of the year a practically correct estimate of our wheat crop of the previous harvest may be generally arrived at, and judging from the experience of the past four months we may safely pronounce that the last crop realized in this kingdom has not only been abundant, but has exceeded in quantity the liberal estimates formed at the time of gathering; this, combined with good old stocks left over, has all along kept us in a position comparatively independent of foreign aid, and thus the almost total cessation of imports from America has had little greater effect than to prevent a further reduction from previous low prices, while the business done with the near Continental ports has in few cases been attended with profit, and generally resulted in moderate loss; the markets of the country at the close of the past week were somewhat more firm, but in very few instances could any improvement be obtained, the continued mildness of the season still prejudicing the condition; and Mark Lane yesterday ruled quite dull.

Here we have had a moderate inquiry for wheat, since Friday, at full prices, but flour has moved slowly. Indian Corn and beans firmly supported.

We have no arrivals from America, and the week's imports are below the average extent. Notwithstanding a better attendance at our market to-day, the actual business in wheat of any description has proved upon a limited scale, holders generally requiring previous rates, which we repeat as on this day week, though to sell in quantity some decline would be necessary. The flour trade is without alteration, with little business passing.

James McHenry & Co., under date of Feb. 11, say of the Provision Market:

Bacon without change—no inquiry for American—home-cure still in good supply. Cheese in better demand and for really fine 1s. to 2s. advance has been paid. Beef has been in good demand without change in price, and holders have sold freely. Pork in fair demand and rather dearer.

BACON—Long Middles, New—Rib in [illegible] ⅌ cwt. Short Middles [illegible]. C. Cut [illegible]. CHEESE—Fine [illegible]. Ordinary to Fair [illegible]. BEEF—Prime Mess—New [illegible] ⅌ tierce. India [illegible]. PORK—Prime Mess—New [illegible]. SHOULDERS [illegible].

Lard is 1s dearer, but the transactions are very limited—nominal price 60s to 61s.

Tallow in increased demand, and a large business has been done at better prices. North American firm at 54s.

SEED WHEAT.

A few days ago we penned an article concerning Seed Wheat, and the importance of farmers paying more attention than usual to the quality of the seed they put into the ground the coming spring. Since then we have received several communications from parties in Wisconsin, some of which we have published, stating that they had good 'Canada Club' and 'Scotch Fife' wheat. Below will be found another communication, which is accompanied with a very fair sample of "Scotch Fife," and which we publish for the benefit of farmers who desire that kind of seed:

STOUGHTON, March 1 1859.

Editors Press and Tribune:

I saw an article in the PRESS AND TRIBUNE of the 24th February, in the commercial column, that their was much inquiry for Spring Wheat. I have a hundred and twenty-five bushels of "Scotch Fife" seed for sale at $1.50 per bushel, if it is wanted at that price. If I cannot get that I shall keep it until spring opens. I was offered $1 37 to-day for it. As there is a great inquiry for seed in this section, if there are any who want it, they had better send on immediately. They can send their bags and money to H. H. Giles, the depot agent at Stoughton, on the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad, or Mr. Terry, the express master. I will deliver the seed at Stoughton depot on receipt of money and bags. The wheat grew on Sandy Prairie, and the yield was over twenty bushels per acre. I send this for the benefit of those who want seed, and also a sample of the same.

Your humble servant,
NICHOLAS ALTEMUS.

Address Stoughton Post Office, Dane County, Wisconsin.

We would add that since the publication of the article referred to, several parties have exhibited on 'Change some very choice samples of "Scotch Fife" and "Canada Club." We trust farmers will spare no pains in providing themselves with good, sound seed wheat; for without they do so, our crop of Spring Wheat cannot but be as inferior as it was last year. Much, of course, depends on weather and drainage, but without good seed these can avail nothing, and all efforts to elevate the standing of Spring Wheat in this market will go for nought.

THE WHEAT CROP IN SCHUYLER COUNTY.

RUSHVILLE, Schuyler County, Ill., Feb. 26, 1859.

Editors Press and Tribune:

Weather warm and spring-like; ground thawed out; roads almost impassable; but little produce and no money in the hands of farmers—is the order of things down here. Two weeks ago the best judges pronounced the wheat crop damaged *one half*, but the late warm weather has brought to light many a green blade that before lay hidden, and it is now thought that with no further damage, the crop may be a *good* one. Such at least is our hope, for having lost two crops in succession, we can ill afford to lose another. The very discouraging state of things is hastening thousands to Pike's Peak from this part of country.

J. E. S.

Chicago Daily Wholesale Market.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 2.

FREIGHTS.—The Eastern Railways have reduced rates on fourth Class freight to New York to 60c ⅌ 100 lbs, and to Boston via Albany to 65c; Flour to New York $1 10; to Boston $1.25; to Philadelphia and Baltimore $1.00. Fourth Class goods to Boston, part water, 60c ⅌ 100 lbs; and Flour to Boston, part water, $1.15.

FLOUR.—Very firm. Sales were:—150 bbls "Excelsior" Spring Extra (last night) at $5.10; 500 bbls do do, and 100 bbls "Atlantic" do at $5.17 f. o. b, at the opening of navigation; 50 bbls "Kewanee" do at $5.50; 165 bbls low grade Spring Extra at $5.08, free of storage till the 1st of April; 50 bbls Michigan White Winter at $6.25.

CORN MEAL.—Firm at $25 for Unbolted, and $27 for Bolted. Sales 2 tons Bolted at $27.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—Very dull and nominal at $1.50@1.75c. Dixon Mills $3.

SHORTS—4 tons good quality at $16 ⅌ ton.

WHEAT—WINTER—Market active. Advanced 2c. Sales were: 600 bu No. 1 Red at $1.28 in store; 700 bu do at $1.29 in store; 1600 bu do at $1.29 in store; 12,000 bu do in two lots at $1.30 in store; 5,600 bu No. 2 Red at $1.15 in store. SPRING—Advanced 2@4c. Sales were: 700 bushels Standard at $1 in store; 700 bu do at $1 01 in store; 600 bu No. 2 Spring at 91c in store; 6,200 do at 92c in store; 1400 bu do at 93c in store; 1500 bu do (old inspection) at 93c in store; 1000 bu do do at 94c in store; 300 bu Rejected at 79c in store. Market closing firm.

CORN—Advanced 1c. Sales were: 24.0 bu Shelled in bulk at 69c ⅌ 60 lbs on track; 700 bu do at 69c on track; 150 bags do at 70c on track; 300 bu No. 1 at 68½c delivered; 700 bu Ear Corn at 65c ⅌ 70 lbs on track.

OATS—Prime in good demand and firm. Sales to-day were: 261 bags common at 51c delivered; 167 bags fair at 54c on track; 128 bags good at 60c on track.

RYE—75 bu fair quality at 90c per 60 lbs. at depot.

BARLEY—In good demand, and prime firm. Sales to-day were:—300 bu No. 2 at 48c in store; 50 bags fair State at 83c on track.

HIGHWINES—Held more firmly. Manufacturers asking 26c.

ALCOHOL—55@56c per gal.

SEEDS—Timothy in fair demand, and prime quality firmer. Sales to-day were:—30 bu prime Timothy at $2 00; 75 bushels fair do at $1.87½; 50 bu do at $1.85. Clover less inquired for, and market rather dull. Sales were:—15 bags prime at $6.25; 10 bags fair at $6.00; 30 bags Hungarian Grass at $1 00.

DRESSED HOGS—Very few in market. Sales to-day were:—14 Hogs averaging 180 lbs at $6.50; 4 averaging 2.0 lbs at $7 00.

PROVISIONS—Inactive Mess Beef, $9@10; Mess Pork, $17 25@17 50. Nothing doing in Cut Meats.

LARD—83 packages prime at 11⅝c.

TALLOW—Scarce and in demand at 10½c.

HIDES—Market firm, with a good inquiry for Green. Sales to day were at the following range of quotations:—Green Country, 8@8½; Green Salted, 8½@8¾c; Dry Flint, 16½@17c. Calf Skins, 13c.

PELTS—In good supply, with a fair demand. City slaughtered $1.25@1.75; Country, $1.00@1.50.

WOOL—1800 lbs, good Fleece at 47½c.

POULTRY—Dressed Chickens in good demand at $2.50@3.00 per doz.; Turkeys, 8@10c per lb.

EGGS—Fresh 15c per doz.

BUTTER—In good shipping demand. Sales to-day were:—40 pkgs common at 13c; choice table Butter in good demand at 16@17c.

POTATOES—Meshannocks, 65@75c; common, mixed, 50@60c.

BEANS—Market dull and nominal at 75@1.25.

DRIED FRUIT—Sales to-day were:—40 bbls Michigan Dried Apples at 12c.

Movement of Breadstuffs—March 1.

RECEIPTS BY RAILWAYS.

	Flour bbls.	Wh't bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Bar. bu.	Cat. No.	Hog. No.
By Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gal. U. R. R.	133	1415	1977	2065	284	45	123
By Rock I. R. R.	42	332	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	56	140
By Ill Central	349	234	640	10	[illegible]	56	66
By C. B. & Q.	176	656	2540	[illegible]	[illegible]	15	89
By P. & F. W. & C.	42	608	253	1000	150	150	314
By C. A. & St. L.	128	1125	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2	[illegible]
Total	899	4479	5589	3078	484	279	589

New York Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] NEW YORK, March 2, 1859.

FLOUR—There is an active trade demand for State and Western, and prices have advanced 5@10c. Sales 17,000 brls at $5.40@5.65 for super State, $6.20@6.50 for extra State, $5.60@5.80 for super Western, $6.40@6.50 for extra Western, $6.60@6.70 for shipping brands extra round-hoop Ohio—market closing buoyant, with an advancing tendency. Canadian Flour firmer; sales 800 brls extra at $6.80@7.50. Rye Flour, $3.60@4.25.

GRAIN—Wheat continues active at an advance of 1@2c; sales 30 000 bu at $1.40@1.45 for red Western winter, $1.50@1.55 for white Michigan, $1.35@1.42 for mixed Illinois, $1 50 for amber St. Louis, $1.60 for white St. Louis, $1.50 for white Southern, $1 50 for white Illinois and Milwaukee club on private terms. Rye quiet at 86@88c. Barley dull; sales 1,000 bu old State at 65c. Corn quiet but steady; sales 8 500 bu at 88@84c for Jersey and Southern yellow, 85c for mixed Western in store. Oats more active and firmer at 54@57c for State, and 61@63c for Western and Canadian.

WHISKY—Steady; sales 500 brls at 28c.

PROVISIONS—Pork unchanged. Sales 3 000 bbls at $17.80@18 for new; $17 50 for old mess; $13 12@13.25 for prime. Included were 1000 bbls new mess for April at $18 25 and half bbls shear clear at $12, and 500 bbls mess at $18, delivered in six months from the first of April at seller's option. Beef continues steady. Sales 480 bbls at $6.50@7 00 for country prime; $7 75@9 for do mess; $9@11 for repacked Chicago; $12@12.50 for extra do. Prime mess beef firm at $18@18.50. Beef hams dull at $14.50@17.50. Bacon quiet. Cut meats steady. Sales 350 pkgs at 6¾@6½c for shoulders, and 8¼@9⅝c for hams. Dressed hogs dull at $8.49 for corn fed. Lard dull and heavy. Sales 400 bbls at 11½@12¼c. Butter quiet at 11@19c for Ohio, and 17@27c for State. Cheese firm at 9@11½c. Tallow lower. Sales 5 000 pounds at 10½@10¾c.

Stocks at 2d Board easier, but closing steady. Mo. 6's 85¼, N. Y. C. 8's 91¼, C. bonds 89¼, Pac. mail 75¾, Cumberland 24, N. Y. C. 8⅝, G. & Chi. 70¼, Harlem preferred 39¼, Hudson 33¾, Reading 49¾, C. & T. 29¾, M. C. 51¾, M. S. 18¾, do guaranteed 45, Panama 116¾, C. & R. I. 61¼.

Weekly Live Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] NEW YORK, March 2.

BEEF CATTLE—There is but a moderate demand for Beef Cattle and prices for common and inferior grades ¾c lower. Quotations range from 6½@9½c common and ordinary, to 10@11 for prime, and 11½@12½ for premium. Average 9¼.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Active.

SWINE—Dull at 5¾@6¾c.

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Office, 142 South Water Street.

Authorized Capital, $500,000 | Paid in and secured, 175,800

MANAGING DIRECTORS: J. F. Aldrich, John A. Nichols, E. C. Wilder, A. Edwards, Hiram B. Smith.

ADVISORY DIRECTORS: Watson Carr, G. N. Henderson, A. Edwards, President, Adam Smith, J. R. Hamilton.

E. C. WILDER, Secretary. GEO. F. HASTINGS, General Agent. LEWIS B. RUNDELL, City Surveyor.

Fire, Marine and Inland Navigation Insurance.

Chicago Firemen's Insurance Co.

Office N. W. Corner of Lake and Clark-sts, UP STAIRS.

CAPITAL .... $200,000.

DIRECTORS: Thomas Church, B. W. Raymond, Geo. W. Dole, E. H. Haddock, J. K. Botsford, Orrington Lunt, C. B. Farwell, W. M. Larrabee, T. J. Edwards.

THOMAS CHURCH, Prest.

C. N. HOLDEN, Sec'y. JOS. E. BROWN, Surveyor.

Peoria Marine & Fire Insu'nce Co.

OF PEORIA.

CAPITAL $500,000

Paid Up in Cash 300,000

MARINE AND FIRE RISKS UNDERWRITTEN ON MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.

Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid at this Agency.

J. AUG. WRIGHT, Agent, No. 148 South Water street, Chicago.

FARMER'S UNION FIRE INSURANCE CO. Capital and Surplus $150,000

CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INS. CO.

Acquired Capital $3,000,000

JNO. B. ACKLEY, Agent, No. 4 Masonic Temple, Chicago, Ill.

FIRE, MARINE and LIFE INSURANCE effected for any amount desired at reasonable rates in *reliable* Eastern Companies.

1858. .... 1859.

GREAT CENTRAL SHORT LINE ROUTE

—VIA—

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO

AND

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROADS

TO ALL EASTERN CITIES.

CLARKE & COMPANY,

SPECIAL AGENTS, are prepared to Contract Freights through, by authority of the Companies named above, at their office, No. 1 Steele's Block, corner South Water and Lasalle streets, and at Depot of P., Ft. W. & C. R. R., Chicago; or at Depot, Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

The Offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the East are located at No. 2 Astor House, New York. No. 1 South William street, New York. No. 48 Kilby street, Boston. No. 10 Ferry street, Hartford. No. 80 North street, Baltimore. And at the General Depot, Philadelphia.

DEALERS AND CONSUMERS ARE INVITED.

E. W. DENSMORE & CO.,

Are now prepared to sell and deliver to any part of the city FREE OF CHARGE.

Any of the various products of their mills. We shall aim at the stars in the quality of our goods, and with a good mill, good materials, and experience, hope to reach and maintain the highest point of excellence. Our brands of Flour in barrels and bags are Phillips' Mills, Choice Extra, No. 1 White Wheat. Phillips' Mills, Extra Superfine, No. 1 Red Winter. Phillips' Mills, Choice Family, Choice Extra Spring. Also at wholesale or retail: Pure Rye Flour, Graham Flour, Cracked Wheat, Corn Meal, sifted and unsifted, Corn and Oats, ground, Middlings, Bran, Shorts, Samps, &c. E. W. DENSMORE & CO., No. 147 South Water street.

IRISH MOSS.

Shred and Sheet Isinglass,

TAPIOCA, FRESH HOPS,

Coxe's Sparkling Gelatine,

SAGO, OAT MEAL,

CONCENTRATED EXTRACT OF LEMON,

SARGENT & ILSLEY, Apothecaries,

140 Lake street.

SUNDRIES—50 BASKETS CHERRIES, 50 bags Unpared Peaches, 5 bbls Pared Peaches, 5 bbls Dried Raspberries, 10 bbls Dried Blackberries, 25 bbls French Prunes, 10 baskets Hungarian Prunes, 5 barrels Turkey Prunes. Just received and for sale by WILLIAM LITTLE & CO., 161 South Water street.

CHRISTMAS—250 BOXES FANCY TOYS, 50 boxes Fancy Candies, 30 boxes Fancy Prunes, 30 boxes Fancy Lozenges. For sale at 161 South Water street, by WM. LITTLE & CO.

GLASS! GLASS!! GLASS!!! An assorted stock for sale by [illegible].

Insurance.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEORIA

MARINE & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

—OF—

Peoria, Illinois.

FEBRUARY FIRST, 1859.

Amount of its Capital Stock $500,000
Amount of its Capital Stock paid up 300,000

The Assets of the Company are

Cash on hand and in hands of agents .... $ 20,605 90
Real Estate, unincumbered 6,315 00
Bonds owned by the Co., drawing 10 per ct. 22,700 00
Loans secured by Mortgage of Real Estate, worth double the amount loaned thereon, drawing 12 per cent. interest 113,643 71
All other Securities, consisting of discounted bills, notes, drafts and acceptances, maturing daily, having from sixty to ninety days from date to run, drawing 10 per cent. interest 178,291 63

Total Assets $352,556 24

Liabilities.

Amount due or not due to Banks or other creditors of the Company .... none.
Losses adjusted and due $3,500
Losses adjusted and not due .... none.
Losses unadjusted 1,000
Losses in suspense and waiting further proof 1,700
All other claims against the Company .... none.

DIRECTORS: Isaac Underhill, Peoria; Alexander G. Tyng, "; H. G. Wheeler, "; Lewis Howland, "; Wm. E. Phelps, "; William Fenn, "; B. L. T. Bourland, Peoria; Sidney Pulsifer, "; Charles Holland, "; Wm. A. Herron, "; Richard Gregg, "; Philo Holland, "; Samuel Howe, Chicago.

ISAAC UNDERHILL, Prest.

CHAS. HOLLAND, Sec'y.

J. Aug. Wright, Agent,

148 .... South Water St. 148

DOLE'S BUILDING, CHICAGO.

PHŒNIX INSURANCE COMPANY,

—OF—

Hartford, Conn.

S. L. LOOMIS, President.

H. KELLOGG, Secretary.

WESTERN BRANCH OFFICE, CINCINNATI.

M. MAGILL, General Agent.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, JANUARY 8, 1859.

Examined and approved by the Auditors of Wisconsin, Iowa, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Tennessee, in compliance with the Laws of those States.

CASH CAPITAL $200,000 00.

CASH ASSETS, $419,084 66.

Cash, on hand and in bank .... $ 53,451 11
due and from Agents 38,174 76
1467 shares New York bank stocks 111,839 50
1100 " Hartford " 114,535 00
100 " other N. E. " 8,775 00
Am't loaned on Mortgages of Real Estate 20,200 00
Pledge of Bank stocks 28,510 00
20 Water Bonds of the town of New Britain, Connecticut 10,500 00
10 C. P. & I. R. R. Bonds, guaranteed 7,500 00
Accumulated interest on investments 6,367 00
Real Estate owned by the Company, unincumbered 6,466 71

Total Assets $419,084 66

Liabilities, being unadjusted losses and those not due $31,343 00

The foregoing Statement presents such a view of the Company's position as must impress the conviction on the minds of all of its solvency and healthy condition. The amount of its liabilities is less than its income for a single month; and the extensive business done shows that its losses as large and extensive business accumulations are strictly observed. If, therefore, you want Insurance in a First-Class Insurance Company, go to the "PHOENIX" through any of its authorized Agents, and your application will be received and business promptly attended to.

Agents in most of the prominent towns and cities of the Union.

BRANCH OFFICE, Nos. 31 and 33 West Third-st., opposite Masonic Temple, Cincinnati, O.

Agents appointed, correspondence attended to, losses adjusted and paid, and all business of the Western Branch attended to with dispatch and fidelity by M. MAGILL, General Agent.

R. H. MAGILL, H. M. MAGILL, Special Agents and Adjusters.

INSURANCE.

Mason & Company, Agents,

DOLE'S BUILDING, CHICAGO.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. of New York, on the 1st day of January, 1859, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to the statute of that State:

The name of the Company is "The Mutual Life Insurance Company," and located in the city of New York.

ASSETS.

1. The amount of cash on hand $178,000 14
in hands of Agents, estimated 25,000 00
2. Real Estate, unincumbered 54,737 02
3. Debts due the Co., secured by 1st liens on real estate, valued at twice the amount loaned 4,845,459 24
4. Debts otherwise secured .... None.
5. Debts due for premiums, (take no premium notes) .... None.
7. All other securities—bonds given by agents to secure our funds 54,000 00

LIABILITIES.

Losses adjusted and not due 62,000 00
unadjusted 5,000 00

The greatest amount insured in any one risk, $10,000. The greatest amount to be insured in any one city, Town, Village, or Block—as much as the people will pay for.

(ORIGINAL.)

Certificate to Expire on the 31st day of January, 1860.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, Springfield, February 15, 1859.

Whereas, the Mutual Life Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has filed in this office a statement of its condition, as required by "An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not Incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 14, 1855, and an Act amendatory thereto, approved January 22, 1857; and, whereas, said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument, signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing R. F. Mason, of Chicago, its agent for the transaction of the business of said Company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claim of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act aforesaid, I, Jesse K. Dubois, Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said R. F. Mason is authorized as Agent for the said Company to transact the business of Insurance in this State, until the thirty-first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty, so far as he may be legally empowered so to do by said Company.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office at Springfield, this fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1859. JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

Please notice the following Companies:

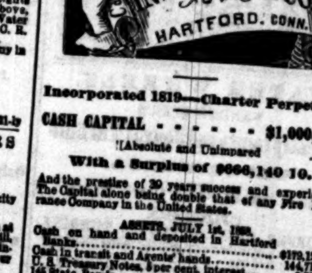
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
SUN MUTUAL MARINE INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NORTH AMERICAN INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
GOODHUE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NEW WORLD INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New Haven.

Capt. J. Dorchester, Inspector, Office 150 South Water-st., Chicago.

BY STATE AUTHORITY

CHOICE 1st CLASS INSURANCE

—BY THE—



Incorporated 1819—Charter Perpetual.

CASH CAPITAL .... $1,000,000.

(Absolute and Unimpaired)

With a Surplus of $666,140 10.

And the prestige of 39 years success and experience. The Capital alone being double that of any Fire Insurance Company in the United States.

ASSETS, JULY 1st, 1858.

Cash on hand and deposited in Hartford Banks $173,134 16
Cash in branch and Agents' hands 144,719 05
U. S. Treasury Notes, 5 per cent. interest 20,000 00
143 State Bonds 140,500 00
Money due the Company, secured by mortgage .... [illegible]
Real Estate unincumbered 4,416 04
Bills receivable 64,499 54
[illegible] Bonds, 6, 7, and 10 ⅌ cent. interest annually .... MARKET VALUE.
[illegible] shares Railroad Stock 161,250 00
[illegible] shares Connecticut River Co. Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares Stafford Bank Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares Waterbury Bank Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares Providence Bank Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares New York Bank Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares Jersey City Bank Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares U. S. Trust Co. New York Stock .... [illegible]
[illegible] shares New York, L. I. and Trust Company Stock .... [illegible]

TOTAL LIABILITIES $1,688,140 10

Unsettled Claims not due .... $103,714 [illegible]

Losses Equitably Adjusted and Promptly Paid.

UPWARDS OF $11,000,000 of losses have been paid by the Ætna Insurance Company in the past 39 years.

Fire and Inland Navigation.

Risks accepted at terms consistent with solvency and fair profit.

Especial attention given to Insurance of Dwellings and Contents for terms of one or five years.

Organized on a NATIONAL basis, with agencies in the principal cities and towns. Cash transactions, free from the objections of the credit system. Application made to any duly authorized Agent promptly attended to. By strict attention to a legitimate Insurance business this Company is enabled to offer both indemnity for the past and security for the future. Policies issued without delay by any of the duly authorized Agents.

Branch Office 171 Vine street, Cincinnati.

Business attended to with dispatch and fidelity.

J. B. BENNETT, General Agent.

HUBBARD & HUNT, Agents, Chicago.

W. B. PATCH, State Agent, Peoria, Illinois.

INSURANCE.

Mason & Company, Agents,

DOLE'S BUILDING, CHICAGO.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF the CONTINENTAL INS. CO., on the 1st day of January, 1859, made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to the statutes of that State:

1. The name of the Company is "The Continental Insurance Company," and located in the city of New York.
2. The amount of its capital stock is $500,000 00
3. " " " paid up is 500,000 00

ASSETS.

1. Cash on hand and in the St. Nicholas B'k 73,467 94
2. Real Estate .... None.
3. Bonds and Stocks owned by the Co 69,913 00
4. Debts due the Co. secured by Mortgage on Real Estate worth double the am't loaned 113,500 00
Same secured on Real Esta's worth at least 50 per cent. more than amount loaned .... [illegible]
5. Loans on Collateral 444,300 00
6. Debts due for premiums 22,000 00
7. All other securities 16,076 50

Total Assets of the Co $835,227 59

LIABILITIES.

Losses unadjusted 1,442 00
in suspense waiting further proof 7,946 63
All other claims against the company 7,357 08

Total Liabilities $16,745 71

The greatest amount insured in any one risk is limited by the laws of the State of New York to 10 per cent. upon its capital.

No rule as to amount to be insured in one City, Town, Village or Block.

(ORIGINAL.)

Certificate to Expire on the 31st day of January, 1860.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, Springfield, Feb. 12, 1859.

Whereas, the Continental Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has filed in this office a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not Incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 14, 1855, and an Act amendatory thereto, approved January 22, 1857; and, whereas, said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing R. F. Mason, of Chicago, its agent for the transaction of the business of said Company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said company, consenting that service of process upon the said agents, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claim of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act aforesaid, I, Jesse K. Dubois, Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said Company is authorized to transact the business of Insurance in this State until the thirty-first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty, so far as he may be legally empowered so to do by said Company.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of my office, at Springfield, this twelfth day of February, A. D. 1859. JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

Please notice the following Companies:

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
SUN MUTUAL MARINE INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NORTH AMERICAN INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
GOODHUE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NEW WORLD INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New Haven.

Capt. J. Dorchester, Inspector, Office 150 South Water-st., Chicago.

INSURANCE.

Mason & Company, Agents.

DOLE'S BUILDING, CHICAGO.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF the State Fire Insurance Company, on the 31st day of December, 1858, made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to the Statute of that State:

1. The name of the Company is "State Fire Insurance Company," and located at New Haven, Conn.
2. The amount of its capital stock is $200,000. paid up is $200,000.

ASSETS.

1. Cash on hand and in hands of Agents $12,510 28
2. Real Estate unincumbered 12,000 00
3. Bonds owned by the Company 34,125 00
4. Debts due the Company, secured by mortgages on real estate 119,000 00
5. Bank Stocks and other Stocks owned by the Company 45,485 00
6. Debts due for Premiums .... [illegible]
7. All other Securities 10,172 00

Total Assets of the Company $122,220 93

LIABILITIES.

Losses adjusted and not due $2,600
Losses unadjusted 138

Total Liabilities $2,738

The greatest amount Insured in any one risk, $5,000. No rule as to amount to be Insured in any one city, town, village or block in the act of Incorporation of said Company.

(ORIGINAL.)

Certificate to Expire on the 31st day of January, 1860.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, Springfield, Feb. 15, 1859.

Whereas, The State Fire Insurance Company, located at New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, has filed in this office a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not Incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 14, 1855, and an Act amendatory thereto, approved January 22, 1857; and, whereas, said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing Rush Frisbee Mason of Chicago, its agent for the transaction of the business of said Company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claim of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act aforesaid, I, Jesse K. Dubois, Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said Rush Frisbee Mason is authorized as an Agent for the said Company, to transact the business of Insurance in this State, until the thirty-first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty, so far as he may be legally empowered so to do by said Company.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office, at Springfield, this fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1859. JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

Please notice the following Companies:

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
SUN MUTUAL MARINE INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NORTH AMERICAN INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
GOODHUE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NEW WORLD INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New Haven.

Capt. J. Dorchester, Inspector, Office 150 South Water-st., Chicago.

INSURANCE.

Mason & Company, Agents,

DOLE'S BUILDING, CHICAGO.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF the New World Fire Insurance Company, on the 1st day of January, 1859, made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to the Statutes of that State:

1. The name of the Company is "The New World Fire Insurance Company, and located at No. 35 Pine street, New York.
2. The amount of its Capital Stock is $200,000
paid up, is 200,000

ASSETS.

1. Cash on hand and in the Continental Bank $6,129 44
2. Real estate .... none.
3. Bonds owned by the Company 23,000 00
4. Debts due the Company, secured by mortgage on real estate, 1st liens 181 650 00
5. Debts otherwise secured 1,050 00
6. Debts due for Premiums 1,452 30
7. All other securities 5,410 00

Total Assets of the Company $228,881 74

Liabilities .... None.

The greatest amount Insured in one risk, $15,000. No rule as to amount to be Insured in any one city, town, village, or block.

The act of Incorporation of said Company, October 11, 1856.

(ORIGINAL.)

Certificate, to Expire on the 31st day of January, 1860.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, Springfield, January 24, 1859.

Whereas, The New World Fire Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has filed in this office a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not Incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 17, 1855, and an Act amendatory thereto, approved January 22, 1857; and, whereas, said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument, signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing R. F. Mason and H. F. Brayton, of Chicago, its Agents, for the transaction of the business of said Company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing them to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon the said Agents, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claim of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act aforesaid, I, Jesse K. Dubois, Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said R. F. Mason and H. F. Brayton, are authorized as Agents for the said Company, to transact the business of Insurance in this State, until the thirty-first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty, so far as they may be legally empowered so to do by said Company.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of my office, at Springfield, this twenty fourth day of January, A. D. 1859. JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

Please notice the following Companies:

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
SUN MUTUAL MARINE INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NORTH AMERICAN INS. COMPANY, Of New York.
SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
GOODHUE INSUAANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
NEW WORLD INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New Haven.

Capt. J. Dorchester, Inspector, Office 150 South Water st., Chicago.

Northwestern Insurance Comp'y,

OSWEGO, NEW YORK.

(ESTABLISHED IN 1832.)

Capital 150,000—With a Large Surplus.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY INformed that Mr. JULIUS WHITE has been reappointed agent of this Company, and is alone authorized to issue and renew policies in Chicago. Mr. WHITE is authorized to adjust and pay all losses under our Policies either Fire or Marine. JAMES PLATT, President.

S. B. LUDLOW, Sec'y.

The undersigned will be happy to see his friends and the patrons of the old Northwestern, generally, at the Office, No. 149 South Water street, where at all times our rates shall be as low as those of any other responsible Company, and that losses shall be promptly paid. JULIUS WHITE, Agent.

Transportation.

Buffalo, Cleveland and Chicago Line of

SCREW STEAMERS.

ON THE OPENING OF LAKE NAVIgation the Proprietors of this Line will put on this route from Buffalo to Chicago, Seven First Class A 1 Screw Steamers, of great strength and speed.

Forming a Tri-Weekly Line,

And running in connection at Buffalo with the NEW YORK CENTRAL R. R. and the MERCHANTS' CENTRAL LINE OF CANAL BOATS, on the Erie Canal, and at Cleveland with the CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, touching at Detroit, Mackinac, Sheboygan, Port Washington, Milwaukee, Racine, Kenosha and Waukegan.

This Line is now prepared to issue contracts and give through receipts for property destined to Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo and all way stations on the N. Y. Central, Western and Boston and Worcester Railroads, and principal places on the Line of the Erie Canal, Albany, Troy, Boston, New York and Pittsburgh, and from those places to Sheboygan, Port Washington, Milwaukee, Racine, Kenosha, Waukegan and Chicago.

The liberal patronage extended to the Line the past season by the travelling public, has induced the Proprietors to greatly increase their accommodation for passengers, and those desiring a cheap, safe and comfortable route, will find it by taking this line.

Insurance on property shipped by this line can be obtained at a less rate than by any other, it having within the two past seasons transported property to an amount exceeding sixteen million dollars without any loss with these unequalled facilities, the proprietors hope to receive a liberal patronage.

CONTRACTING AGENTS:

John H. Moore, Agt. N. Y. C. R. R., No. 2 7 Broadway, N. Y. M. B. Spaulding, Agt. Spaulding's Express, 110 [illegible]. Chamberlin, Thomas & Co., Proprietors of Merchants' Central Canal Line, No 191 Broadway, New York. W. W. Chandler, Genl. Ft. Agt. do do Boston. Stewart, Agt. Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R. Pitts. Mix & Morris, Forwarding Merchant, do Cleveland. J. J. Talmadge, do do Milwaukee. Richmond & Co., Cor. Clark and So. Water-sts. Chicago.

SHELDON PEASE, Managing Agent, Office foot of Michigan street, Buffalo, N. Y.

ATLANTIC ROYAL MAIL STEAM NAVigation Company's New York and Galway Line. The next departure from New York will be the Steamship

Prince Albert,

Captain T. J. Waters, to sail from New York, on the 11 day of March, touching at St. Johns, N. F., to receive the Royal Mails. Price of Passage—First Class, $100; Second, $60; third, $30; including free tickets to the principal cities on railroad routes in Great Britain. Third Class must provide plate, knife, fork, &c., and bedding. Passage to St. Johns, First Class, $35; Second Class, $25. For freight or passage inquire of the American Express Company, 61 Hudson street, 61 Broadway, and at their other advertised offices in the interior. Passage in the third class can be secured at any of the above offices to bring persons out from any of the principal cities on the lines of railway in Great Britain for $35, or from Galway for $30.

ALEX HOLLAND, Manager.

JAS. C. FARGO, office of American Express Co., No. 20 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

New York, Nov. 13, 1858.

CHERRY CREEK AND PIKE'S PEAK EXPRESS.

Through to the Gold Mines in Ten Days.

JOHN M. HOCKIDAY & CO.,

Proprietors and Contractors of the Great Salt Lake and Cherry Creek United States Mail Line, will run a daily Express Line of

Concord Coaches drawn by Six Mules,

Through from Atchison, Kansas Territory, on the Great Western Bend of the Missouri River to DENVER CITY, at the Mouth of Cherry Creek.

This Line Connects with the

HANNIBAL AND ST. JOE RAILROAD,

By a Daily Line of Steamers.

This is the only daily line of stages to the Gold Mines, with stopping places and relays of

Fresh Mules Every 20 Miles.

Passengers by this line will be taken through from Atchison to the Gold Mines in Ten Days, being TWENTY DAYS less time than by any other conveyance.

Fare through to Denver City, Cherry Creek, $100 from Atchison.

N. B.—Passengers will be boarded through to the mines, the Company having established Eating Houses every twenty miles. Forty lbs. Baggage will be also allowed each passenger.

Passengers will bear in mind that $100 pays their fare and Board from Atchison to the mines and freight on forty lbs. baggage.

Through Tickets for sale from Chicago at the office of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Depot. Only Six Tickets to be sold per day, commencing March 15th.

Tickets will be ready for sale in advance on the 10th of March.

John M. Hockiday & Co.,

Proprietors of the United States Mail Line to Salt Lake and Cherry Creek.

1859. 1859.

THE

American Transportation COMPANY.

Incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK, ss.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas, April Term, 1859. Alvan L. Ross vs. Hiram Pearsons and William W. Saltonstall, his assignees in bankruptcy. Affidavit of the non-residence of Hiram Pearsons one of the defendants above named, having been filed in office of the Clerk of said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, Notice is hereby given to the said Hiram Pearsons that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the first day of March, 1859, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of April next, 1859, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said Hiram Pearsons shall personally be and appear before said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago in said county on the first Monday of May, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

W. KIMBALL, Clerk.

Burgess & Hawley, Compl'ts Sol'rs.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY, ss.—Cook County Circuit Court, April Term, A. D. 1859. William A. Grow vs. Peter Reed. Notice is hereby given to the said Peter Reed that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1859, at the suit of the said William A. Grow and against the estate of the said Peter Reed for the sum of three hundred and fifty-one dollars and six cents, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Peter Reed, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Chicago, on the second Monday of April, A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said William A. Grow, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Goodrich, Farwell & Smith, Plff's Att'y.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—PUBLIC NOTICE IS hereby given, that I, L. C. Paine Freer, Trustee in a certain Deed of Trust, executed by Francis W. White, on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1856, will, by reason of default on the part of said White in the payment of the certain promissory note according to the tenor and effect thereof specified in said Deed of Trust, on the application of the legal holder of said note and in pursuance of the power in me vested by said Deed of Trust, sell at public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the [illegible] day of March, A. D. 1859, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Chicago, all the premises in said Deed of Trust described and conveyed to me by said deed of trust, to wit: [illegible] in block twenty-one (21), in School Section addition to Chicago, situated in the city of Chicago, county of Cook, State of Illinois, with the appurtenances thereto belonging.

L. C. PAINE FREER, Trustee.

Chicago, February 26, 1859.

MORTGAGE SALE.—DEFAULT having been made in the performance of the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage executed to the undersigned by George A. Gibbs and Eliza A. his wife, and Edward W. Griffin and Frances E. his wife, bearing date the 16th day of June, A. D. 1857, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in Book 38 of Mortgages, at page [illegible], and in Book 13 of Chattel Mortgages, at page [illegible]; and payment of the several sums of money secured by said mortgage having been demanded, and default having been made in the payment thereof, and the same still remaining due and unpaid: Notice is therefore hereby given that under and in pursuance of the power in said mortgage contained, I shall on Monday, the 14th day of May next, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, sell at public vendue, for cash, the following described premises and property (being the premises and property in and by said mortgage described and conveyed), to wit: All the right, title and interest of the said George A. Gibbs and Edward W. Griffin in and to lots three (3) and four (4) in block five (5) in the original town (now city) of Chicago, and also all the improvements thereon, the warehouse, elevators, engines, machinery and all other apparatus belonging to or in anywise appertaining to said warehouse and property—the interest of said Gibbs and Griffin in said lots consisting of the aforesaid improvements thereon and an unexpired term granted by John S. Wright to George A. Gibbs and Michael Herran, by lease of said lots dated November 23d, A. D. 1851, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in Book 47 of Deeds, at page 287, and the agreements and covenants made supplementary thereto.

HIRAM A. TUCKER, Mortgagee.

Chicago, Feb. 24, 1859.

HOYNE, MILLER & LEWIS, Attorneys.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK S. S.—Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term 1859. Charles Dassling vs. Philip Lermon, John B. Knight and R. B. Rannel—Petition for Mechanics Lien. Affidavits of the non-residence of John B. Knight and R. B. Rannel, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, Notice is hereby given to the said John B. Knight and R. B. Rannel that the said Charles Dassling filed his petition for a Mechanics Lien in said Court on the fifteenth day of February, 1859, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of March next, 1859 as is by law required.

Now, unless you the said John B. Knight and R. B. Rannel shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Cook County, on the first day of the term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's petition, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Hervey & Anthony, Compl'ts Sol'rs.

STATE OF ILLINOIS—COUNTY OF Cook, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, 1859. Mary A. Stowell vs. James S. Haven, Samuel R. Haven, George W. Johnson, Ellen M. Johnson, Clara Stowell, Edward Stowell, Adaline Stowell, and Frederick B. Stowell—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of George W. Johnson, Ellen M. Johnson, Clara Stowell, Edward Stowell, Adaline Stowell, and Frederick B. Stowell, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said George W. Johnson, Ellen M. Johnson, Clara Stowell, Edward Stowell, Adaline Stowell and Frederick B. Stowell that the complainant filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1859, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of March next (1859,) as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said George W. Johnson, Ellen M. Johnson, Clara Stowell, Edward Stowell, Adaline Stowell and Frederick B. Stowell shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Cook county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

H. R. STEBBINGS, Comp'ts Sol'r.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK, ss.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas, April Term, A. D. 1859. William D. Dillard vs. John S. Wright, G. B. Wright, his wife, Benjamin F. Carver, George Scoville, James Clapp and W. W. Ransom.—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of W. W. Ransom, one of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, Notice is hereby given to the said W. W. Ransom, that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, on the 16th day of December, 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of April next (1859), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said W. W. Ransom, shall personally be and appear before said Cook Co. Court of Common Pleas of Cook county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago in said county on the first Monday of April next, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

John G. Rogers, Compl't's Sol'rs.

ESTATE OF GRAHAM MARR DEceased. Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Graham Marr deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Cook County to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1859, being the seventh day thereof.

LUCIE MARR, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Graham Marr dec'd.

Blue Island, January 11th, 1859. By H. H. MASSEY, Agent.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY, ss.—Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1859. William P. Ross vs. Thaddeus Sherman. Public Notice is hereby given to the said Thaddeus Sherman that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said William P. Ross and against the estate of the said Thaddeus Sherman, for the sum of eighteen hundred and eighteen [illegible] dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Thaddeus Sherman shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next Term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of March A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said William P. Ross, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Goodrich, Farwell & Smith, Plff's Att'y.

MORTGAGE SALE.—WHEREAS, James Cunningham did in the month of April A. D. 1855, execute to me a mortgage which said mortgage was filed for record in the Recorder's office of Cook County, in the State of Illinois, on the 25th day of April A. D. 1855, and duly recorded in said office in Book 56 of Mortgages, page 136, which said mortgage was made to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes in said mortgage particularly described, the last of said notes having fallen due on the [illegible] day of April A. D. 1858, and default having been made in the payment of said note last maturing, and whereas, in said mortgage is contained a provision that if default be made in the payment of said notes, or either of them, principal or interest on the day or days whereon the same shall become due and payable, then and in that case I am empowered in and by said mortgage, after publishing a notice in a newspaper printed in the city of Chicago twenty days before the day of sale, to sell the premises in said mortgage described, and all the equity of redemption of the said James Cunningham therein, at the Court House door in the city of Chicago, to the highest bidder for cash, and to make, execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers a deed or deeds of the premises so sold and out of the proceeds of such sale to pay the costs of said sale and the principal and interest due on said notes.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the authority given me in and by the mortgage aforesaid, I shall on Monday, the 7th day of March, A. D. 1859, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Chicago, in the County of Cook, and State of Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash the premises in said mortgage described, to wit: That part and parcel of Lot one (1), in Block fifty-four (54), in the Original Town of Chicago, in County of Cook, and State of Illinois, bounded as follows: beginning on the east line of said lot thirty (30) feet north of the southeast corner, and running thence northerly along the east line of Wells street twenty feet, thence westerly on a line parallel with Washington street to the west line of said lot one (1), being about eighty (80) feet, thence southerly along the west line of said lot one (1) twenty (20) feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with Washington street about eighty feet, to the place of beginning.

WILLIAM OSMAN.

Chicago, February 12th, A. D. 1859.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY, ss.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas, April Term, A. D. 1859. James Beck, William J. Beck and John Beck vs. John Brousham.

Public notice is hereby given to the said John Brousham that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1859, at the suit of the said James Beck, Wm. J. Beck and John Beck and against the estate of the said John Brousham for the sum of three hundred and twenty five dollars and sixty-eight cents directed to the Sheriff of Cook County which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said John Brousham shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of April A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said James Beck, William J. Beck and John Beck and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

Cornell, Waite & Jameson, Pl'ffs Att'ys.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—WHEREAS Charles C. Clarke and Mary B., his wife, of the city of Chicago, County of Cook, and State of Illinois, executed to me as Trustee a deed of trust of the premises hereinafter described, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of five hundred and sixty Seven dollars, therein mentioned, which deed of trust bears date May fifth, A. D. 1858, and is recorded in the Recorder's office of Walworth county, and State of Wisconsin, in Book 31 of Mortgages, Pages 410 and 411; and whereas default has been made in the payment of said note, and whereas, application has been made to me by the legal holder of said note, to sell said premises under said deed of trust, for the purposes therein expressed. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, at the North door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, in said County and State, to the highest bidder for cash, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the NINTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1859, the premises described in said deed of trust, to wit:—The undivided two-thirds (⅔) of the north half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-nine (29), Town number one (1), North, Range number seventeen (17), east of the fourth Principal Meridian, and containing fifty three and one third (53⅓) acres, to be the same more or less, the same being land set apart to Benjamin F. Clarke and Charles C. Clarke from the estate of the late Dr. Henry Clarke.

FRANCIS F. EGGLESTON.

Chicago, February 2nd, 1859.

MORTGAGE SALE.—NOTICE IS hereby given that default having been made in the payment of a certain Promissory Note secured in and by a certain mortgage made and executed by Alfred F. Wurts, bearing date the 11th day of April, 1856, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Cook, and State of Illinois, in Book 76 of Mortgages, Page 74, to Geo. M. Gray, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said mortgage described, upon which there will be due on the day of sale, principal and interest, Eight Thousand Eighty-Eight Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents.

Now, therefore, I shall, by virtue of the power in said mortgage contained, on THURSDAY, the tenth day of March, A. D. 1859, at the Court House, in the city of Chicago and County of Cook, and State of Illinois, at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described pieces of land, together with all right and equity of redemption of said Wurts, situated in the City and County of Cook, and State of Illinois, to wit: The undivided one half of Lots one (1) and two (2), in Block four (4), Fort Dearborn Addition to Chicago.

GEO. M. GRAY, Mortgagee.

Chicago, Feb. 8th, 1859.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY, ss.—Cook County Circuit Court, February Term, A. D. 1859. Augustus Beck and Charles Wirth vs. Heinrich Naumann.

Public Notice is hereby given to the said Heinrich Naumann that a writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1859, at the suit of the said Augustus Beck and Charles Wirth and against the estate of the said Heinrich Naumann for the sum of One Hundred and Eighty One Dollars and Seventy-Nine cents directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Heinrich Naumann, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Augustus Beck and Charles Wirth, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Norman C. Perkins, Pl'ffs Att'y.

CHANCERY NOTICE—STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County, April Term A. D. 1859. Franklin S. Gregory, John Tilton, Ormand Dutton, Moses W. Richardson, John H. Bradbury, George E. Richardson, George Barnes, James W. Lyman, Harvey Scovel, Edward Alexander, John [illegible], and Orrin S. Truax vs. Norton King, Bryan H. Newell, Rudolph Schloesser, Elbridge G. Newell, and others.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Elbridge G. Newell, one of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, Notice is hereby given to the said Elbridge G. Newell that said complainants filed their bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the [illegible] day of November, 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendant, returnable on the first Monday of January, 1859, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Elbridge G. Newell shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Cook County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago in said County of Cook, on the third Monday of April, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Franklin Webster, Compl'ts Sol'r.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK, ss.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas, February Term, 1859. Sylvester Lind, Samuel S. Hayes, Executors and Trustees of Jabez Barber, deceased, vs. Joseph Wilde, Senior, Ann Wilde, his wife, Mary Ann Barber, Lucy Barber, Harriet Barber, Charles Y. Bell and Eliza Bell, his wife, and [illegible]—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Mary Ann Barber, Lucy Barber, Harriet Barber, Charles Y. Bell and Eliza Bell, his wife, part of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, Notice is hereby given to the said Mary Ann Barber, Lucy Barber, Harriet Barber, Charles Y. Bell and Eliza Bell, his wife, that the complainants filed their bill of complaint in the said Court, on the chancery side thereof on the [illegible] day of January, 1859, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants returnable on the first Monday of April next, 1859, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Mary Ann Barber, Lucy Barber, Harriet Barber, Charles Y. Bell and Eliza Bell, his wife, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago in said County on the first Monday of April, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

Mather, Taft & King, Compl'ts Sol'rs.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY: SS. Circuit Court of Cook County, February Special Term A. D. 1859. John B. King vs. John P. Conkling, Gardon Conkling, Caroline A. Conkling, Sarah A. Conkling, Godfrey Bryant, Peter Pecoy and Charles J. Tresham.—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of John P. Conkling, Gardon Conkling and Caroline A. Conkling, Sarah A. Conkling, Godfrey Bryant and Charles J. Tresham, defendants above named having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said John P. Conkling, Gardon Conkling and Caroline A. Conkling, his wife, Sarah A. Conkling, Godfrey Bryant and Charles J. Tresham, that the said complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the [illegible] day of February, 1859, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of February, 1859, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said John P. Conkling, Gardon Conkling and Caroline A. Conkling his wife, Sarah A. Conkling, Godfrey Bryant and Charles J. Tresham shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Cook Co. on the first day of the next special term thereof, to be holden at Chicago in said County, on the second Monday of February, 1859, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

George Scoville, Compl't's Sol'r.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF Cook, ss.—Cook County Court of Common Pleas, February Term, 1859. Charles H. Booth and Charles Tuttle vs. Orville Finch.—Attachment.

Public notice is hereby given to the said Orville Finch that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the first day of February, A. D. 1859, at the suit of the said Charles H. Booth and Charles Tuttle and against the estate of the said Orville Finch for the sum of [illegible] hundred and forty-two dollars and forty-eight cents directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Orville Finch shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Charles H. Booth and Charles Tuttle, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

Thompson & Higbee, Pl'ffs Att'ys.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County, January Special Term, A. D. 1859. William McCully, John F. McCully, and Mark W. Watson, vs. George E. Hoyt.

Public Notice is hereby given to the said George E. Hoyt that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County dated the [illegible] day of December, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said William McCully, John F. McCully and Mark W. Watson and against the estate of the said George E. Hoyt for the sum of two hundred and [illegible] dollars and [illegible] cents, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you the said George E. Hoyt shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Cook County on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said William McCully, John F. McCully and Mark W. Watson, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WILLIAM L. CHURCH, Clerk.

Cornell, Waite & Jameson, Pl'ff's Att'ys.

STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County,—January Special Term, A. D. 1859. Jerman A. Kester and Porter Skinner vs. Andrew J. Short.

Public notice is hereby given to the said Andrew J. Short, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, dated the [illegible] day of [illegible], A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Jerman A. Kester and Porter Skinner and against the estate of the said Andrew J. Short for the sum of [illegible] dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Andrew J. Short shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Cook County, on or before the first day of the next Special Term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1859, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Jerman A. Kester and Porter Skinner, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 4, 1859.

Cook County Republican Convention.

The Republican voters of Cook County are hereby notified that a County Convention will be held at the Supervisor's Room, in the Court House, in the city of Chicago, on the 11th day of March, 1859, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported by the Republican party, at the Judicial Election to be held on the first Tuesday in April.

The several Wards and Towns will send delegates, based upon the Republican vote cast in said wards and towns, at the last County election, as follows:

	No. Delegates.		No. Delegates.
First Ward	[illegible]	Rich	[illegible]
Second Ward	[illegible]	Lyons	[illegible]
Third Ward	[illegible]	Niles	[illegible]
Fourth Ward	[illegible]	Northfield	[illegible]
Fifth Ward	[illegible]	Jefferson	[illegible]
Sixth Ward	[illegible]	Leyden	[illegible]
Seventh Ward	[illegible]	Orland	[illegible]
Eighth Ward	[illegible]	Thornton	[illegible]
Ninth Ward	[illegible]	Palatine	[illegible]
Tenth Ward	[illegible]	Barrington	[illegible]
North Chicago	[illegible]	Elk Grove	[illegible]
West Chicago	[illegible]	Schaumburg	[illegible]
South Chicago	[illegible]	Wheeling	[illegible]
Lake View	[illegible]	Bremen	[illegible]
Evanston	[illegible]	Leyden	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Bloom	[illegible]
Maine	[illegible]	Hanover	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lemont	[illegible]

The primary meetings for the election of delegates will be held at each town with the exception of West and South Chicago, at the usual places of holding elections, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, the 10th inst. The primary meeting in West Chicago will be held at the Volks Garten Hotel, in Holstein; and of South Chicago, at the house of S. L. Darrow, on State street, at 7½ o'clock P. M., of said 10th inst. And the primary meetings of the several wards of the City of Chicago will be held at 7½ o'clock, of said 10th inst., at the following places:

First Ward—Orient House, 285 State street, corner of Van Buren.

Second Ward—Engine House No. 1, Dearborn street.

Third Ward—Sheriff's Office.

Fourth Ward—Armory.

Fifth Ward—Horner's Hall, West Randolph street.

Sixth Ward—West Market Hall.

Seventh Ward—At German Hall, on Wells street.

Eighth Ward—Kinzie street Hall.

Ninth Ward—Engine House No. 5.

Tenth Ward—Niemeyer's Hotel, corner of Canal and Mitchell streets.

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The Judicial Election.

We publish herewith the call of the Republican County Committee for a Convention "to nominate candidates to be supported by the Republican party at the ensuing Judicial election." A proposition in writing was received by the Committee from the corresponding committee of the Democracy, protesting against party nominations for judicial offices, and so forth. The gentlemen composing the Republican Committee very properly decided that the communication was one to be acted upon by the party itself in Convention. The Convention will be held at the Supervisor's Room in the Court House, on the Friday of next week, at which time an answer will be given. Of course we shall not make two bites of a cherry. A fractional ticket is not entitled to and will not receive the united support of the Republican electors of the county, and a failure to make full nominations would be sure to result in the election of Bob Blackwell to the Bench, with Phil. Wayne, and Scarlecrow of the *Times*, for Clerks —a pretty kettle of fish.

Case of Marshal Pine.

Marshal Pine executed his new bond, on the 2d inst., and received his new commission from the hands of Judge Drummond. The bond was signed by ten of our most responsible citizens who represent property to the amount of some $1,500,000. The signers of the bond are well acquainted with Mr. Pine and with his affairs, and several of them, at his request, examined his accounts previous to signing the bond. It is believed that the bond will serve as a conclusive answer to the charges of defalcation recently preferred against him through he promises to make his vindication still more conclusive by other evidence which he intends to publish.

More of the Sickles-Key Tragedy.

We find in our last evening's exchanges much space devoted to the late tragedy in Washington. One of them—the *Iowa State Democrat*—the editor of which appears to have an intimate knowledge of Sickles' history, has the following:

Sickles' career has been as varied, if not as romantic, as that of a hero of a novel. His early youth was spent in riot and debauchery among the vile women and vile men of Church street, New York. For years after he had grown to man's estate, he was known as the "lover" of one of New York's most noted courtezans. He was, however, always known to possess abilities of no common order, and in course of time became a lawyer and a politician. The Democracy of New York city elected him to the State Legislature, where he was conspicuous for his intemperance and his shrewdness, his vices and his sagacity. He then devoted himself to the [illegible] profession and to politics by [illegible] frequently made little advance-[illegible]

[illegible] the law the entire devotion of [illegible] apt and fertile intellect, he would have gained an enviable position at the bar. His recklessness of character, however, weighed like a mill stone around his neck, and he took advantage of an acquaintance with the American Minister at the Court of St. James, to introduce to the first circles of London—the female whose consort [illegible] he had notoriously been. Again, in order to circumvent a rival faction of the Democracy, he [illegible] Broadway Post Office, and stole a [illegible] which had been deposited [illegible] keeping. His personal standing as a politician fell to the lowest grade; [illegible] succeeded in getting a nomination [illegible] Senate, he was ignominiously [illegible] in a Democratic district. On the election of Gen. Pierce, when Mr. Buchanan was named for the Mission to England, Mr. Sickles was tendered the appointment of Secretary of Legation. Shortly before his departure for England he married a Miss Teresa Bagioli, the daughter of an old Italian music teacher of New York. Between old Madame Bagioli and Mr. Sickles there existed a very peculiar relation, and mischievous people insinuated that the old lady paid Sickles' board at a fashionable hotel. Miss Teresa, though a well dressed and good-looking lady, was not conspicuous for beauty, or remarkable for accomplishments.

From the time of his going to England, Mr. Sickles' fortunes have been constantly on the [illegible].

The New York *Evening Post*, in reply to a [illegible] apology for Sickles in the *Times* of [illegible] city, says:

[illegible] are the motives by which the *Times* [illegible] justify this act of bloodshed? The "confession" that is the phrase used by the *Times* [illegible] heaps on the man whose wife is [illegible] is one of them. There is no such confession either in this or in any other case of the kind. Sickles has not been made the mark of [illegible] on account of the infidelities of his wife, except so far as they might be occasioned by his own fault; and even then it would not take the shape of contumely, but of sober [illegible]. But if there were any contumely to be apprehended, Sickles is not the man to care for it. He has long borne the contempt of the better part of the community, with perfect equanimity and complacency. All he had to apprehend was, perhaps, an occasional joke at his expense by his companions; and that certainly was a wretched reason for deliberately taking the life of a fellow-creature.

There is yet another reason given by the *Times* [illegible] assassination of Key was not a murder, [illegible] he were wholly guiltless. Sickles, it [illegible] "imagined" that his "domestic peace" [illegible]. How much domestic peace there was [illegible], will be the natural inquiry of those who know what the personal character of Sickles has been. If that were to be the sole measure of Key's guilt, he would have, we suspect, little to answer for. But, however this may be, it is certain that the man who makes no scruple to invade and destroy the domestic peace of others—he who, in his own practice, regards adultery as a trifle, and the matrimonial bond as no barrier against the utmost caprice of licentiousness—has little right to complain when the mischief which he carries without scruple into other families enters his own, and certainly he has no excuse whatever for avenging such an injury by the death of him who adopts his own principles of morality, and takes example from his own practice.

The Albany *Evening Statesman*, speaking of [illegible], says:

The career of the individual who so pompously enacts the character of the "injured husband" in this domestic turmoil, is familiar to our citizens, as indeed it is known to the people of the entire State. He has a reputation for everything but integrity, honor, morality and manhood. If there is a moral vice with which he is not conversant—practically familiar—we think it must be indeed modern. Those who are familiar with the libertine career which first gave him possession of the unfortunate woman whom he calls wife, will not be surprised at the denouement of his married life. How she could so long preserve her purity through such an example is matter for conjecture. In a misfortune which ordinarily commands for a man so injured the sympathy of every human creature, he seems less entitled to the consolation to be derived from the condolence of his fellow citizens than any man we ever knew. We can recollect no one act of his life that should bring to him even the well wishes of any mortal.

Some years ago—we think about six—he married his wife, then a young, volatile, wayward girl, already, if common rumor be true, hiding her shame in a tardy marriage.

The party to which allusion is made in the return, and at the breaking up of which Mr. Sickles received the anonymous communication which led to this exposure and murder—was a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Sickles to Mrs. Bennett, at which President Buchanan assisted. So brilliant a company of first-class stars should have secured for the gods a more auspicious upbreaking. As it was, a letter—the exposure of a wanton wife and a dishonored husband, and a cold, deliberate [illegible]